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JOHN JACOB PETERS II OR JR. AND DESCENDANTS

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John Jacob Peters II or Jr. was born in Rockingham County, Virginia Colony in circa 1776. Son of John Jacob Sr. & Frances (**SYMNS**) Peters married 1st Sarah "Sallie" (**CLAY**) (1800) 2nd Mary (_____) (1811-1820) 3rd Catherine (**LANE**) (1830-1840).

Moved from Montgomery County, Virginia, to Giles County, Virginia circa 1805.

From Giles County, Virginia, to Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri circa 1830. It appears after the death of his 1st wife, John Jun. and son John III moved to Missouri.

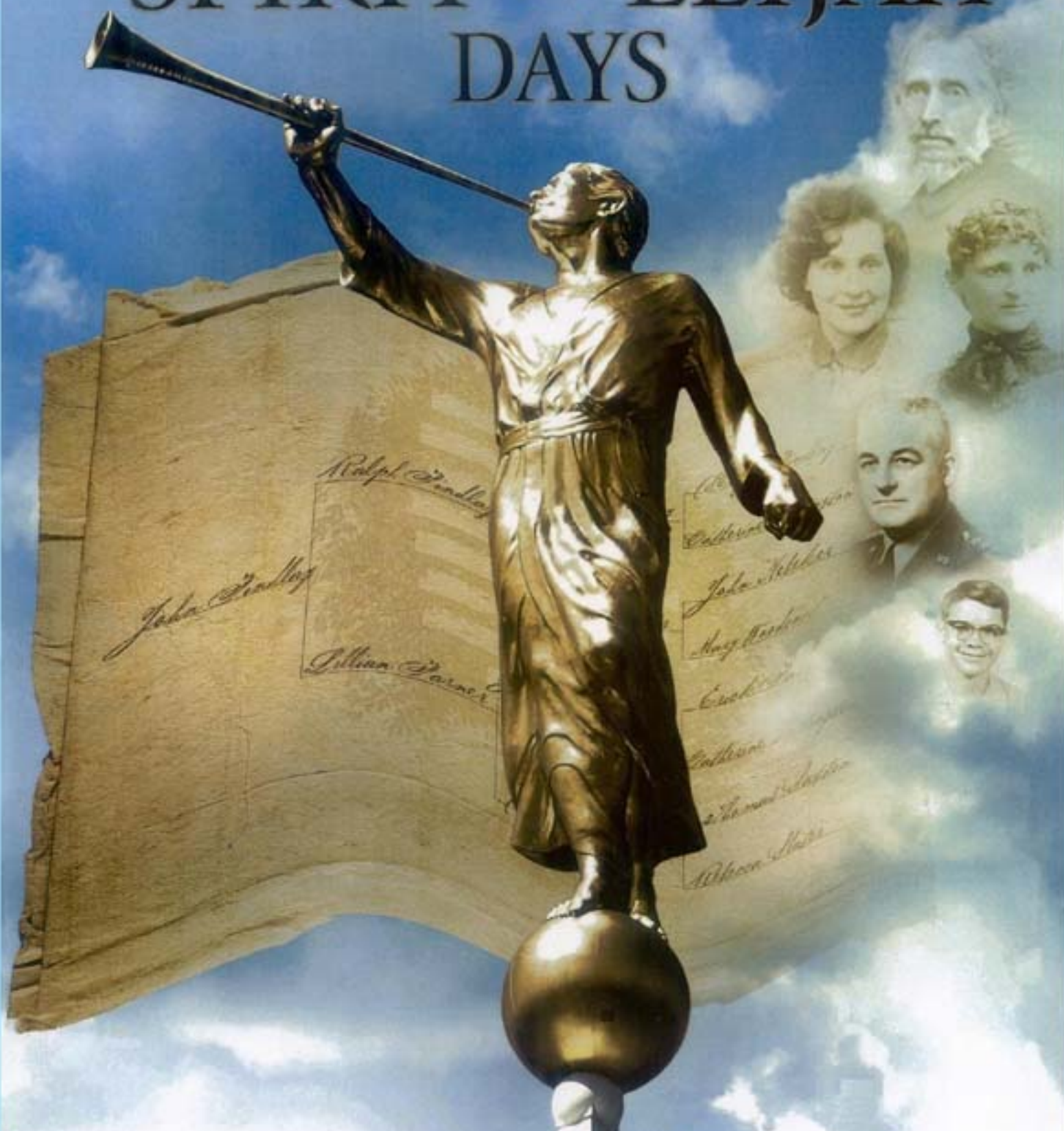
Probably because of the Kimberlin(g) families who all moved around 1826-1827 to Washington County, Missouri. John II appears both in the 1830 Giles County, Virginia census and the Washington County, Missouri census. It also looks like a majority of his children remained in Giles County because only John III shows up in the 1830 Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, census with his father.

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SPIRIT OF ELIJAH DAYS



"BEHOLD, I WILL SEND YOU ELIJAH THE PROPHET BEFORE THE COMING OF THE GREAT AND DREADFUL DAY OF THE LORD: AND HE SHALL TURN THE HEART OF THE FATHERS TO THE CHILDREN, AND THE HEART OF THE CHILDREN TO THEIR FATHERS, LEST I COME AND SMITE THE EARTH WITH A CURSE. MALACHI 4:5-6

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PREFACE

This body of work has taken 40 years of record searching in courthouses, interviews with living relatives, cemeteries, microfilm reading of census records, deeds and most important of all...libraries from the local town library to the National Archives, resources gathered from all over Missouri, Virginia and Tennessee.

I have had help from many researchers sharing their research over the years with the intent that one-day, I would be able to compile and share what was found with others. It is with great pleasure I am able to share this accumulative descendant research in this comprehensive volume of work.

First and foremost, please make copies of this file for future preservation.

LAYOUT

There are several sections in this book.

- [1] 3 page descendant chart of John Jacob Peters II or Jr. family comprising of 3 generations.
- [2] Most descendants have some basic information including Cradle to Grave Profiles (C2G) followed by notes comprised of very important source documentation and research recommendations. This book is to be used as a roadmap for identifying your ancestors and is not represented to be a complete body of work.
- [3] Most descendants have spousal information including children and their spouses. If further information is wanted concerning allied families, please contact the author.
- [4] Names highlighted in **blue** are the author's direct line ancestors.
- [5] The end of the book has the author's pedigree showing his relationship to the common ancestor. Also, there is a short biography of the author explaining his interest and qualifications in family history research.

I hope you will share this book with others in your family and it will become a family treasure.

Any questions you may have concerning information in this book can be asked of the author either at his home address: Floyd Pratt, 15434 East Ford Circle Apt A-1, Aurora, Colorado 80017 or by phone 941.209.1701 or by email floydpratt59@yahoo.com or floydpratt59@gmail.com

It is and always has been my desire to share what I have found with others so they may use our research as a springboard to launch their family histories. Only through knowing our ancestors...can we know ourselves.

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- 1-**John Jacob Peters II or Jr.** b. 1776, Rockingham County, Virginia, British Colony, d. 1850-1860, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - +**Sarah "Sally" (CLAY)** b. 17 March 1759, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 1811-1820, Giles County, Virginia, United States
 - 2-Andrew John Peters b. 1791, Monroe County, Virginia, United States, d. , Iowa, United States
 - 2-Rachel (**PETERS**) b. 1801, Montgomery County, Virginia, United States, d. 1850, West Virginia, United States
 - 2-Clara (**PETERS**) b. Cir 1801, Giles County, Virginia, United States
 - +John Samuel Brough b. 1807, Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, d. 1853, Centerville, Appanoose, Iowa, United States
 - 2-Juliet (**PETERS**) b. 1803, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 1837, Giles County, Virginia, United States
 - 2-**Frances Jane (PETERS)** b. 1804, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 1886-1900, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - +**Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin** b. 1805, Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, d. From 1886 to 1900, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - 3-Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) b. August 1828, Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, d. 28 March 1912, near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
 - +James Pratt b. 30 September 1822, Greene County, Tennessee, United States, d. 25 June 1874, near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Jacob Henry Pratt b. 29 November 1848, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 26 April 1910, Dayton Twp, Cass, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Sarah Frances "Fannie" (**PRATT**) b. 16 January 1852, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 13 June 1934, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt b. July 1856, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1900-1901, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Nancy "Nannie" Young (**PRATT**) b. 1 December 1864, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 3 November 1945, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States
 - +Alexander A. Blanton Sr. b. 7 September 1828, Greene County, Tennessee, United States, d. 3 April 1882, Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - 3-Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin b. 6 March 1831, Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, d. 13 January 1913, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - +Delilah (**HARPER**) b. 27 June 1834, Fayette County, Ohio, United States, d. 20 May 1920, near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

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- 4-Mary Emma "Emily" (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 26 November 1853, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1 February 1937, Meyers Falls, Stevens County, Washington, United States
- 4-Charles Franklin Kimberlin b. 31 July 1855, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 27 March 1935, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Minerva Elizabeth (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 6 February 1857, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 15 March 1914, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Phoebe "Feby" Frances (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 26 March 1859, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. November 1899, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Ann "Annie" Jane (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 18 February 1861, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 23 February 1950, Skiatook, Tulsa County, Oklahoma, United States
- 4-Rhinard Price Kimberlin b. 13 January 1863, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1865, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-John Andrew Kimberlin b. 30 September 1865, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 25 October 1886, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-William Henry Kimberlin b. 16 February 1867, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 16 December 1958, Missouri Baptist Medical Center, 3023 North Ballas Road, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
- 4-Benjamin Edward Kimberlin b. 14 July 1870, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 16 April 1954, 228 Watson Road, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
- 4-Julia F. (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 29 December 1873, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 17 December 1948, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Orville Kimberlin b. 10 November 1878, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 23 August 1967, (Sullivan Community IOOF Cemetery 156, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States)
- 3-Vermetta (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 19 June 1832, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1 May 1890, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - +Reuben Harmon b. 5 August 1832, Clark, Coshocton County, Ohio, United States, d. March 1903, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Julia Frances (**HARMON**) b. March 1854, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 21 February 1927, Monitor Twp, Marion, Oregon, United States

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- 4-Leona Catherine (**HARMON**) b. July 1856, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 7 May 1906, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-John Columbus Harmon b. 15 October 1859, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 30 November 1930, Avery, Pawnee Towbship, Lincoln County, Oklahoma, United States
- 4-Joseph P. Harmon b. 12 November 1861, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 30 October 1881, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Mary Young (**HARMON**) b. 19 September 1863, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1 December 1930, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Benjamin Franklin Harmon b. 12 April 1866, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. After 1930, Okfuskee, Oklahoma, United States
- 4-Margaret "Maggie" Christina (**HARMON**) b. July 1868, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 19 July 1907, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States
- 3-Daughter (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 1835-1840, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1840-1850, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 3-Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 1835, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1876-1880, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt b. March 1831, Monroe County, Tennessee, United States, d. 1912, near Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
- 4-Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) b. 27 November 1857, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 12 January 1928, Sullivan, Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Michael Pratt b. June 1860, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. From June 1860 to August 1870, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Stonewall Jackson Newton Pratt b. 16 September 1861, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 18 August 1941, Columbia, Columbia Township, Boone County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Frances "Fannie" Minerva (**PRATT**) b. 6 June 1865, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 24 February 1934, Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Paulina Perlina "Lina" (**PRATT**) b. 9 May 1868, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 14 February 1948, Osage Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

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4-Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt b. 6 September 1869, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 24 March 1914, near Crow's Creek, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

4-Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt b. March 1873, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 30 January 1929, Breton Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

4-Minnie (**PRATT**) b. 8 November 1876, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 4 November 1928, 1726a California Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

3-Michael "Mike" L. Kimberlin b. 21 August 1835, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 17 January 1885, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

+Minerva Jane (**SUMMERS**) b. 18 September 1837, near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 17 October 1909, near Berryman, Walton Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

4-John Franklin "Frank" Kimberlin b. 18 October 1859, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 4 December 1908, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States

4-William "Will" Henderson Kimberlin b. 24 February 1861, near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 14 August 1926, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

4-Mary C. E. (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 19 May 1863, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 9 February 1900, Sisson Township, Howell County, Missouri, United States

4-Charles "Charley" Edward Kimberlin Sr. b. 29 September 1866, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 25 April 1942, 12 Langston Street, West Plains, Howell Twp, Howell, Missouri, United States

4-Valentine "Val" Summers Kimberlin b. 18 February 1868, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 1 August 1951, DeWitt Hospital, Waynesville, Tavern Township, Pulaski County, Missouri, United States

4-Joseph Anderson Kimberlin b. 18 December 1870, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 14 October 1944, Cuba, Benton Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

4-James Henry Kimberlin b. 26 September 1873, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 19 December 1953, 218 East Euclid, Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin County, Missouri, United States

4-Julia May (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 2 April 1876, near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 27 November 1929, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

4-Rueben Harmon Kimberlin b. 6 April 1882, Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 2 January 1958, McFarland Hospital, Hiway 63 & Pine Street, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States

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3-Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 1837, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1882-1900, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

+James "Jim" Pollard b. 1837-1838, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1863-1865, probably Civil War (see Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) on page 4)

4-Rhinehart "Rinard" Pollard b. 3 October 1856, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 10 April 1930, Dayton Twp, Cass, Missouri, United States

4-Joseph Pollard b. 2 March 1858, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 6 September 1940, Research Hospital, Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri, United States

4-Mary Frances "Fannie" (**POLLARD**) b. 7 June 1860, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 22 March 1949, Garden City, Index Twp, Cass, Missouri, United States

+Joseph C. Scott b. September 1825, Christian County, Kentucky, United States, d. 1900-1910, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States (see Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) on page 4)

4-Jane "Jannie" C. (**SCOTT**) b. 16 September 1873, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 29 May 1941, (White Oak Grove Cemetery, Shirley, Walton Township, Washington, Missouri, United States)

4-Cora Anderson (**SCOTT**) b. August 1876, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 1958, (Sunset Hills Memorial Estates Cemetery, Glen Carbon, Edwardsville Twp, Madison, Illinois, United States)

4-Ira Scott b. 14 November 1882, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 16 July 1940, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Township, Los Angeles County, California, United States

3-Joseph Kimberlin b. February 1841, near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, d. 1918-1920, Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States

+Martha Jane (**ROZIER**)-Peters b. 1839, Missouri, United States, d. 1881-1900, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

4-Ambrose E. Kimberlin b. 1867, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. After 1880

4-Nora M. (**KIMBERLIN**) b. April 1869, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 13 July 1956, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States

4-George Marvin Kimberlin b. 21 March 1871, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 25 September 1951, Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States

4-William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin b. 13 February 1873, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 8 February 1911, (Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States)

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- 4-John Mont Kimberlin b. 3 September 1875, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 11 October 1947, Missouri State Hospital #4, near Farmington, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin b. 20 February 1877, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 4 May 1941, Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 15 September 1881, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 27 January 1957, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States
- 2-Thompson Harvey Peters b. 31 March 1805, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 29 August 1884, Mercer, West Virginia
 - +Nancy Landon (**BOLTON**) b. 30 October 1811, Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, d. 9 March 1855, Giles County, Virginia, United States
- 2-Elizabeth "Eliza" (**PETERS**) b. 1807, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 24 April 1853, Monroe, West Virginia, United States
 - +Francis Larkin Ellison b. 19 January 1811, Monroe County, Virginia, United States, d. 25 August 1893, Forest Hill, Summers, West Virginia, USA
- 2-Oliver Clay Peters b. 29 December 1807, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 8 April 1889, Giles County, Virginia, United States
 - +Christiana (**BOLTON**) b. 9 September 1812, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. , Virginia, United States
- 2-Augustus Chapman Peters b. 1809, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 25 July 1900, Giles County, Virginia, United States
 - +Catharine S. (**CARPER**) b. 1828, Montgomery County, Virginia, United States, d. 5 February 1892, Giles County, Virginia, United States
- 2-John Jacob Peters III b. 15 March 1811, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 21 September 1876, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - +Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) b. 10 May 1812, Milledgeville, Baldwin, Georgia, United States, d. 30 August 1890, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 3-Martha Jane (**ROZIER**)-Peters b. 1839, Missouri, United States, d. 1881-1900, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - +Joseph Kimberlin b. February 1841, near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, d. 1918-1920, Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Ambrose E. Kimberlin b. 1867, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. After 1880
- 4-Nora M. (**KIMBERLIN**) b. April 1869, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 13 July 1956, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States

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- 4-George Marvin Kimberlin b. 21 March 1871, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 25 September 1951, Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
- 4-William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin b. 13 February 1873, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 8 February 1911, (Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States)
- 4-John Mont Kimberlin b. 3 September 1875, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 11 October 1947, Missouri State Hospital #4, near Farmington, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin b. 20 February 1877, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 4 May 1941, Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie (**KIMBERLIN**) b. 15 September 1881, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 27 January 1957, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States
- 3-William W. Rozier-Peters b. January 1844, Missouri, United States, d. May 1906, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States
 - +Katherine "Kate" (**HARRISON**) b. March 1853, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. After 1900
- 4-Eugene Julius Peters b. 6 March 1873, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 23 October 1955, 6110 Ridge Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
- 4-Grace (**PETERS**) b. 1876, Missouri, United States
- 4-Mabel (**PETERS**) b. October 1878, Missouri, United States
- 4-Robert G. Peters b. December 1880, Short Bend Township, Dent County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Pearl (**PETERS**) b. August 1883, Missouri, United States
- 4-Benjamin Harrison Peters b. 15 July 1888, Sligo, Short Bend Township, Dent County, Missouri, United States, d. 28 November 1949, Denver, Arapahoe, Colorado, United States
- 4-Ralph Peters b. July 1891, Missouri, United States
- 3-Susan A. (**ROZIER**)-Peters b. 1847, Missouri, United States, d. After 1890
 - +Dabney Martin b. 1844, District 24, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 1870-1890, Harmony Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Owen Martin b. August 1869, near Osage Post Office, Harmony Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 2-William P. Peters b. 18 November 1812, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 25 September 1860, Giles County, Virginia, United States
- +Mary b. 1791-1800, d. 1830, Giles County, Virginia, United States (see John Jacob Peters II or Jr. on page 1)

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- 2-Charles Mountford Peters b. 1820, near Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States, d. 1 August 1880, near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - +Permelia Deileen Jane (**EDGAR**) b. 13 December 1829, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 27 February 1868, near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 3-J. (**PETERS**) b. 1849, Missouri, United States
- 3-Annie Eliza (**PETERS**) b. 6 February 1849, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 13 May 1929, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - +James R. Butts b. 1843, Of Crawford, Missouri, d. 1890
 - +John M Eaton b. 16 May 1837, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 22 January 1916, Cherryville, Osage Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 3-John William Peters b. 3 March 1851, District 24, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 26 September 1927, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - +Mary Elvire (**DAVIS**) b. 18 June 1851, Harmony Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, d. 13 May 1929, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Clark M. Peters b. 1 August 1876, near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 14 November 1908, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Lydia Beatrice (**PETERS**) b. 12 April 1880, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 13 March 1962, (Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States)
- 4-Charles "Charley" A. Peters b. 23 April 1883, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 30 November 1915, (Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States)
- 4-Telrina "Jennie" E. (**PETERS**) b. 26 November 1885, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 28 October 1909, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Florence Missouri (**PETERS**) b. 7 April 1887, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 8 January 1911, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 4-Marshall Clarence Peters b. 31 March 1890, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 7 November 1962, (Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Lemay, Saint Louis County, Missouri, United States)
- 3-Charlotta C. (**PETERS**) b. 1853, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 3-James R. Peters b. 15 August 1855, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 27 February 1925, Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

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- +Mary Mahala Clonts b. 19 July 1856, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 8 December 1931, Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Noda Elsie Peters b. March 1884, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Edward P. Peters b. July 1885, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-William Earl Peters b. June 1892, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 3-P. Bethany (**PETERS**) b. 1857, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 3-Jesse B. Peters b. 18 March 1860, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 11 March 1921, 1835 South 7th Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
 - +Matilda Adalade "Addie" Clonts b. 23 August 1859, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 8 August 1920, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Nannie Peters b. January 1882, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Claud Peters b. September 1883, Washington County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Sidney Peters b. March 1886, Washington County, Missouri, United States
- 3-Amanda (**PETERS**) b. 1862, near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
- 3-Somma Micca "Mickie" (**PETERS**) b. 4 February 1865, near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, d. 24 May 1944, rural Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin, Missouri, United States
 - +Franzo Samuel Clonts b. 30 January 1863, near Osage Post Office, Osage Township, Crawford, Missouri, United States, d. 19 October 1934, Butts, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States
 - 4-Mickie Mae (**CLONTS**) b. 7 March 1893, Sligo, Short Bend Township, Dent County, Missouri, United States, d. 14 August 1959, University of Missouri Medical Center, Columbia, Boone, Missouri, United States
- 2-Mary Anne "Polly" Peters b. 2 December 1829, Giles County, Virginia, United States, d. 30 September 1908, Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, USA
 - +Andrew P. Johnston
- +Catherine (**LANE**) b. 1782, Virginia, United States, d. 1850-1860, Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States (see John Jacob Peters II or Jr. on page 1)

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Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

First Generation

1. **John Jacob Peters II or Jr.**, son of **John Jacob Peters I or Sr.** and **Frances (SYMNS)**, was born in 1776 in Rockingham County, Virginia, British Colony and died in 1850-1860 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 74.

John Jacob Peters II or Jr...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 27 January 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1776 Birthblock for John Jacob Peters II or Jr. son of John Jacob Sr. & Frances (SYMNS) Peters

John Jacob Peters II or Jr. was born in Rockingham, Virginia Colony in circa 1776.
Date from the 1810 census states he was born 1765-1784.
Date from the 1820 census states he was born before 1775.
Date from the 1830 census states he was born 1770-1780.
Date from the 1840 census states he was born 1770-1780.
Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1776 in Virginia.
Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born
Date from the funeral home records states he was born
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1780-1790 Childbirth of brother; Christian Peters

Christian Peters was born in Rockingham, Virginia Colony between 1775-1784.

Research Note

Checking the deed records in Rockingham, Virginia and Giles County should reveal when John Jacob Peters Sr. bought property and where. This would give us an indication as to where the children were born and when he departed Rockingham County, Virginia.

1790 Federal Census age 14

1800 Federal Census age 24

1800 Marriage **John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and **Sarah "Sally" (CLAY)****

[1] Montgomery, Virginia Marriage Record Book

John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Sally (**CLAY**) were married on 14 July 1800, in Montgomery County, Virginia, United States.

[2] Virginia, Marriages, 1660-1800

Name: Sarah Clay Spouse: John Peters Marriage Date: 4 Jul 1800 Marriage Location: Montgomery County, Virginia

[3] Virginia, Select Marriages, 1785-1940

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Name: Sarah Clay Gender: Female Marriage Date: 4 Feb 1800 Marriage Place: Montgomery County, Virginia Father: Mitchell Clay Spouse: John Peters FHL Film Number: 32633 Reference ID: P 84

1800-1810 Family Move

From Montgomery, Virginia, United States to Giles, Virginia, United States

1801 Childbirth of son; Oliver Clay Peters

Oliver Clay Peters was born in Giles, Virginia, United States on 1801.

1804 Childbirth of daughter; Frances Jane (PETERS)

Frances Jane (PETERS) was born in Giles, Virginia, United States in 1804.

1805 Childbirth of son; Thompson Harvey Peters

Thompson Harvey Peters was born in Giles, Virginia, United States on 31 March 1805.

1805 Childbirth of son; William P. Peters

William P. Peters was born in Giles, Virginia, United States on 1805.

1809 Childbirth of son; Augustus Chapman Peters

Augustus Chapman Peters was born in Giles, Virginia, United States on 1809.

1810 Federal Census age 34

Giles, Virginia, United States, page 392

PETERS, John Jun. 0-0-1-1 3-0-0-1-1

free white males 16-26 [?]; 26-45 [John Jr. age 34]

free white females 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [Frances age 6]; 26-45 [Sally (CLAY) age ??]; over-45 [?]

[On the next page is John Peters Sr.]

1811 Childbirth of son; John Jacob Peters III

John Jacob Peters III was born in Giles, Virginia, United States on 15 March 1811.

1811-1820 Death of spouse; Sarah "Sally" (CLAY) Peters

Sally (CLAY) Peters died in Giles, Virginia, United States between 1811 childbirth and the 1820 census.

1811-1820 Marriage of John Jacob Peters II and Mary ()

1820 Childbirth of son; Charles Mountford Peters

Charles Mountford Peters was born near Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States on 1820.

1820 Federal Census age 44

Pearisburg, Giles County, Virginia, United States, page 120 or 33

PETERS, John Jun. 2-3-0-0-1 2-1-2

free white males 9 & under [Charles Mountford age 1]; 9 & under [John III age 9]; 10-16 [?]; 10-16 [?]; 10-16 [?]; 26-45 [?]; over-45 [John II or Jr. age 44]

free white females 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 10-16 [Frances Jane age 16]; 16-26 [?]; 16-26 [Mary age ??]

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

[On the previous page is his father; John Peters Sr. family.]

1830 Federal Census age 54

Giles County, Virginia, United States, page 231

PETERS, John Jun. 0-1-0-2-2-0-0-1 2-0-1-1-0-1

free white males 5-9 [Charles Mountford age 11]; 15-19 [?]; 15-19 [John III age 19]; 20-29 [?]; 20-29 [?]; 50-59 [John II or Jr. age 54]

free white females 4 & under [?]; 4 & under [?]; 10-14 [?]; 15-19 [?]; 30-39 [Mary age ?]

1830 Death of spouse; Mary () Peters

1830 Family Move

From Giles, Virginia, United States to Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States. It appears that after the death of his 1st wife John Jun. and son John III moved to Missouri. Probably because of the Kimberlin(g) families who all moved around 1826-1827 to Missouri. John II appears both in the Giles County, Virginia census and the Washington County, Missouri census. It also looks like a majority of his children stayed in Giles County because only John III shows up in the 1830 Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States census with his father.

1830 Federal Census age 54

Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 72, 1 June 1830, line

PETER, John 0-0-0-1-0-0-0-1 **no females**

free white males 15-19 [John III age 19]; 50-59 [John II age 54]

free white female [none]

1830-1840 Family Move

From Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States to Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

1830-1840 Marriage of John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Catherine (LANE)

John Peters and Catherine (LANE) were married 1830-1840.

1836 Death of father; John Jacob Peters I or Sr.

John Jacob Peters I or Sr. died in Giles County, Virginia, United States on 6 February 1836.

1840 Federal Census age 64

Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 196

PETERS, John Sr. 0-0-0-0-1-0-0-0-1 0-0-0-1-0-0-0-1

free white males 20-29 [?]; 60-69 [John Jr. age 64]

free white females 15-19 [?]; 50-59 [Catherine age 58]

1850 Federal Census age 74

Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 152b, 26 October 1850, house 897

PETER, John w m 74; Catherine w f 68; [page 153a] **PETER**, William G. w m 1;

PENDERGRASS, Francis w f 17

[John and Catherine born in Virginia, William and Francis born in Kentucky. John is a farmer.]

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1850-1860 Death of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

John Jacob Peters II or Jr. died in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States between the 1850 census date of 26 October 1850 and the 1860 census date.

1850-1860 Burial of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Source Reference

"The Peters Family of Giles County, Virginia", page 52

John Peters Jr., married Sally Clay, July 14, 1800 by Rev. Alexander Ross, (see Worrell's "Brief of Wills & Marriages of Montgomery & Finacastle Counties, Va. page 31) at the Library of Congress. Their children were, 1. Oliver C. Peters, 2. Andrew J. Peters, 3. Thompson H. Peters, 4. William P. Peters, 5. Jacob Peters, 6. Augustus C. Peters.

John Peters Jr., married a second time but wife's name not known- issue, 7. a daughter, who married Andrew Johnston, 8. Jane Peters, who never married.

Johnston's Book says this John Jr. of Giles was a captain in the War of 1812- records of Monroe County Peters family show John, son of Christian, also served as Captain in this war and was called Capt. Jack, accordingly. Both, no doubt served as captain in the War of 1812.

The descendants of John Sr., of Giles who were in the Confederate Army in the Civil War were; James M. Peters, William D. Peters, John D. Peters, and William H. Peters. Miss Ora Peters, Librarian of Concord State Normal College, Athens, West Virginia is a descendant of this line and may be able to supply additional records upon request.

[Note: I believe the Jane Peters mentioned above "who never married", was our Frances Jane Peters who married Rinard Kimberling between 1825-1827. We find the above John Peters Jr. in Washington County, Missouri for the 1830 census. I think he came west with the other Kimberlings and settled in Washington County, Missouri. Also, someone had written in the margin of the book the name Frances Jane Peters after the Jane Peters above. Evidently this was proven by someone at a latter time from the publication date . Floyd Thomas Pratt]

John married **Sarah "Sally" (CLAY)**, daughter of **Mitchel Clay Sr.** and **Pheobe (BELCHER)**, 14 July 1800 in Montgomery County, Virginia, United States. Sarah was born 17 March 1759 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died in 1811-1820 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 52.

1800 Marriage John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Sarah "Sally" (CLAY)

[1] Montgomery, Virginia Marriage Record Book

John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Sally (**CLAY**) were married on 14 July 1800, in Montgomery County, Virginia, United States.

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Name: Sarah Clay Spouse: John Peters Marriage Date: 4 Jul 1800 Marriage Location: Montgomery County, Virginia

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Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1800-1810 Family Move

From Montgomery, Virginia, United States to Giles, Virginia, United States

1810 Federal Census age

Giles, Virginia, United States, page 392

PETERS, John Jun. 0-0-1-1 3-0-0-1-1

free white males 16-26 [?]; 26-45 [John Jr. age 34]

free white females 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [Frances age 6]; 26-45 [Sally (CLAY) age ??]; over-45 [?]

[On the next page is John Peters Sr.]

1810-1820 Death of spouse; Sally (CLAY) Peters

Sally (CLAY) Peters died in Giles, Virginia, United States between 1810 census and the 1820 census.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 2 M i. **Andrew John Peters** was born in 1791 in Monroe County, Virginia, United States, died in Iowa, United States, and was buried in Chillicothe, Wapello, Iowa.
- + 3 F ii. **Rachel (PETERS)** was born in 1801 in Montgomery County, Virginia, United States and died in 1850 in West Virginia, United States at age 49.
- + 4 F iii. **Clara (PETERS)** was born circa 1801 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.
Clara married **John Samuel Brough** (b. 1807, d. 1853) 22 July 1829 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.
- + 5 F iv. **Juliet (PETERS)** was born in 1803 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died in 1837 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 34.
- + 6 F v. **Frances Jane (PETERS)** was born in 1804 in Giles County, Virginia, United States, died in 1886-1900 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried in 1886-1900 in probably Kimberlin Cemetery, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.
Frances married **Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin** (b. 1805, d. From 1886 to 1900) in 1825 in Botetourt or Giles County, Virginia, United States.
- + 7 M vi. **Thompson Harvey Peters** was born 31 March 1805 in Giles County, Virginia, United States, died 29 August 1884 in Mercer, West Virginia at age 79, and was buried in Brammer Cemetery, Odd, Raleigh, WV.
Thompson married **Nancy Landon (BOLTON)** (b. 30 October 1811, d. 9 March 1855) 18 March 1830 in Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia.
- + 8 F vii. **Elizabeth "Eliza" (PETERS)** was born in 1807 in Giles County, Virginia, United States, died 24 April 1853 in Monroe, West Virginia, United States at age 46, and was buried in April 1853 in Monroe, West Virginia, United States.
Elizabeth married **Francis Larkin Ellison** (b. 19 January 1811, d. 25 August 1893)
- + 9 M viii. **Oliver Clay Peters** was born 29 December 1807 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died 8 April 1889 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 81.

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Oliver married **Christiana (BOLTON)** (b. 9 September 1812) 24 July 1833 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.

- + 10 M ix. **Augustus Chapman Peters** was born in 1809 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died 25 July 1900 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 91.

Augustus married **Catharine S. (CARPER)** (b. 1828, d. 5 February 1892) 8 February 1855 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.

- + 11 M x. **John Jacob Peters III** was born 15 March 1811 in Giles County, Virginia, United States, died 21 September 1876 in Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried in September 1876 in Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States.

John married **Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY)** (b. 10 May 1812, d. 30 August 1890) 1 September 1836 in Washington County, Missouri, United States.

- + 12 M xi. **William P. Peters** was born 18 November 1812 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died 25 September 1860 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 47.

John next married **Mary** in 1811-1820. Mary was born in 1791-1800 and died in 1830 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 39.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 13 M i. **Charles Mountford Peters** was born in 1820 near Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States, died 1 August 1880 near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried in August 1880 in Keysville Cemetery, Keysville, Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

Charles married **Permelia Deileen Jane (EDGAR)** (b. 13 December 1829, d. 27 February 1868) 28 April 1847 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

- + 14 F ii. **Mary Anne "Polly" Peters** was born 2 December 1829 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died 30 September 1908 in Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, USA at age 78.

Mary married **Andrew P. Johnston** 13 October 1848 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.

John next married **Catherine (LANE)** in 1830-1840. Catherine was born in 1782 in Virginia, United States and died in 1850-1860 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 68.

1782 Birthblock of Catherine (LANE) daughter of Catherine (LANE) was born in Virginia circa 1782.

1790 Federal Census age 8

1800 Federal Census age 18

1810 Federal Census age 28

1820 Federal Census age 38

1830 Federal Census age 48

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1830-1840 Marriage of John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Catherine (LANE)

John Peters and Catherine (LANE) were married 1830-1840.

1836 Death of father-in-law; John Jacob Peters I or Sr.

John Jacob Peters I or Sr. died in Giles County, Virginia, United States on 6 February 1836.

1840 Federal Census age 58

Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 196

PETERS, John Sr. 0-0-0-0-1-0-0-0-1 0-0-0-1-0-0-0-1

free white males 20-29 [??]; 60-69 [John Jr. age 64]

free white females 15-19 [??]; 50-59 [Catherine age 58]

1850 Federal Census age 68

Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 152b, 26 October 1850, house 897

PETER, John w m 74; Catherine w f 68; [page 153a] **PETER**, William G. w m 1;

PENDERGRASS, Francis w f 17

[John and Catherine born in Virginia, William and Francis born in Kentucky. John is a farmer.]

1850-1860 Death of spouse; John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

John Jacob Peters II or Jr. died in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States between the 1850 census date of 26 October 1850 and the 1860 census date.

1850-1860 Death of Catherine (LANE) Peters

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Second Generation (Children)

2. **Andrew John Peters** (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born in 1791 in Monroe County, Virginia, United States, died in Iowa, United States, and was buried in Chillicothe, Wapello, Iowa.

3. **Rachel (PETERS)** (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born in 1801 in Montgomery County, Virginia, United States and died in 1850 in West Virginia, United States at age 49.

4. **Clara (PETERS)** (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born circa 1801 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.

Clara married **John Samuel Brough** 22 July 1829 in Giles County, Virginia, United States. John was born in 1807 in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, died in 1853 in Centerville, Appanoose, Iowa, United States at age 46, and was buried in Baker Cemetery, Appanoose, Iowa, United States.

5. **Juliet (PETERS)** (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born in 1803 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died in 1837 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 34.

6. **Frances Jane (PETERS)** (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born in 1804 in Giles County, Virginia, United States, died in 1886-1900 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried in 1886-1900 in probably Kimberlin Cemetery, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.

Frances Jane (PETERS)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

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For additional information on the Peters and related families read the following "**John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Descendants Volume 14 of the Pratt Progenitor Papers Series**" can be accessed at <https://openlibrary.org/people/floydpratt59/lists> under the list...**Pratt Progenitor Papers**

For additional information on the Kimberlin and related families read the following "**Rhinehart "Rinard" Kimberlin and Descendants Volume 18 of the Pratt Progenitor Papers Series**" can be accessed at <https://openlibrary.org/people/floydpratt59/lists> under the list...**Pratt Progenitor Papers**

1804 Birthblock for Frances Jane (PETERS) daughter of John Jacob Jr. & Sally (CLAY) Peters

Frances Jane (PETERS) was born in Giles, Virginia, United States in 1804.
Date from 1810 census states she was born 1801-1810.
Date from 1820 census states she was born 1804-1810.
Date from 1830 census states she was born 1801-1810.

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Date from 1840 census states she was born 1801-1810.
Date from 1850 census states she was born 1805 in Virginia.
Date from 1860 census states she was born 1804 in Virginia.
Date from 1870 census states she was born 1804 in Virginia.
Date from 1880 census states she was born 1804 in Virginia.
from a newspaper death notice states she was born
Date from the funeral home records states she was born
Date from the headstone states she was born
Date from the obituary states she was born

1810 Federal Census age 6

Giles, Virginia, United States, page 392

PETERS, John Jun. 0-0-1-1 3-0-0-1-1

free white males 16-26 [?]; 26-45 [John Jr. age 34]

free white females 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [Frances age 6]; 26-45 [?];
over-45 [?]

[On the next page is John Peters Sr.]

1820 Federal Census age 16

Giles, Virginia, United States, page 120 or 33

PETERS, John Jun. 2-3-0-0-1 2-1-2

free white males 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 10-16 [?]; 10-16 [?]; 10-16 [?]; 26-45 [?];
over-45 [?]

free white females 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 10-16 [Frances age 16]; 16-26 [?]; 16-26
[?]

[On the previous page is John Peters Sr. family.]

1825 Marriage of Rhinard Kimberlin(g) & Frances Jane (PETERS)

[1] U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900

Name:Rinard Kimberlin Gender:Male Birth Place:VA Birth Year:1800 Spouse Name:Frances
Jane Peters Spouse Birth Place:VA Spouse Birth Year:1805 Marriage Year:1825 Number
Pages:1

Resource Note

All evidence indicates they were married between 1824-1825. Catherine is the oldest known child born August 1828 in Missouri NOT Virginia. Since Frances' Peters family were still living in Giles County, Virginia next to Botetourt County, then they were probably married in one of those surrounding counties of Virginia or what is now West Virginia. Nevertheless they were married before they moved to Missouri.

1827 Family Move

From Botetourt, Virginia, United States to Meremec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

"Forest Hills and Vicinity" by John Steele McCormick, © 1970, page 140

"Besides the Harrison's, Summers, Anthonys and various Harman families, the Kimberlin family has always been associated with this area. There were at least two and possibly three founding families of which the best known is the Rhinard and Frances Kimberlin family who came from Virginia in 1827 and settled in Washington County (according to Stevens history.) They settled at Anthonies Mill about 1845. They were parents of four sons and four daughters all of whom married into local families. Unfortunately, family data was not made available. They

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were: Joseph, Jacob, Michael, Henry, Mary, Nancy, Catherine, and Vermetta. Vermetta, in 1853 married Ruben Harman. Curiously, she used the name Henrietta, when she married Ruben. The marriage is recorded at Potosi and the dates correspond to Vermetta's. The family often spelled the name Kimberling. Ben Kimberling in 1825 in St. Louis, made the first entry for land in Township 40; Range 1 West of Washington County."

1828 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine (KIMBERLING)

Catherine (**KIMBERLING**) was born in Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on August 1828.

Research Note

Since John Jacob Peters Jr. was living in Giles County, Virginia up until 1830 when he moved to Washington County, Missouri indicates that Rinard and Frances were married in Giles County before their first born daughter; Catherine was born in 1828 in Missouri. After their marriage and before the birth of Catherine, Rinard and Frances moved to be near his parents who were living in Washington County, Missouri. The article John McCormick's book "Forest Hills and Vicinity" 1970 stated the following, "*There were at least two and possibly three founding families of which the best known is the Rhinard and Frances Kimberlin family who came from Virginia in 1827 and settled in Washington County (according to Stevens history.)*" This is in harmony with the research evidence. Some believe Michel Kimberling is the father of Rinard, however, I ask...what would motivate Rinard to move from Botetourt or Giles County, Virginia to Washington County, Missouri if his parents were not living in Washington County? Also, James and Nancy's children were married and living around Washington County all about the same time between 1825-1830. James and son James Jr. moved on to Greene County, Missouri while others moved on to southwest Missouri and Texas. Rinard and sister Nancy Jane (**KIMBERLING**) Clark remained in Washington County and raised large families. Also, Nancy Jane (**KIMBERLING**) was named after her mother Frances Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberling.

1830 Federal Census age 26

Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 71, 1 June 1830, line 3

KIMBOLING, Renard 0-0-0-1-1 1-0-0-0-1

free white males 15-19 [unknown male]; 20-29 [Rinard age 24]

free white females 4 & under [Catherine age 2]; 20-29 Frances age 26

[This unknown male could have been a younger brother of Rinard's.]

1830-1840 Family Move

From Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Depends on when they moved. We cannot determine in what township the children were born.

1831 Childbirth of son; Jacob Kimberling

Jacob Kimberling was born in Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 March 1831.

1832 Childbirth of daughter; Vernetta (KIMBERLING)

Vernetta (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1832.

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1835 Childbirth of son; Michael L. Kimberling

Michael Kimberling was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

1835 Childbirth of daughter; Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown daughter (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land. Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 36

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 36]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1840 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840
John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Husband's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri Acres: 78.96
Accession Number: MO0720__124 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St. Louis Canceled: No
US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948 Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington North East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of son; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844
Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two
west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundreds of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Husband's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Renard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 February 1848 State of Record: Missouri Acres: 40
Accession Number: MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St. Louis Canceled: No
US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 15803 Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington
the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five

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hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1849 Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840___.362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West $\frac{1}{4}$ of the North West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 46

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m 19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1854 Family Move

From Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Anthonie Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1854 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 519, 6 February 1854
Firmin Desloge and wife Cynthia Ann sold to Rinard Kimberlin for Three hundred dollars, Lot #2 in the North West quarter of Section (19) nineteen in Township Thirty-nine (39) North of Range One (1w) contining one hundred and five acres (105). [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1854 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", page 579, 25 February 1854
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Francis sold to James Pratt for seventy-three dollars and eighty cents, South West corner of Lot two (2) in the North West quarter of Section (19) Township 39, Range One West headed North with the range line at twelve chains corner on said line turning east at twenty three chains and fifty links intersected the branch there down the spring branch making the branch the line to the intersection of the south line of lot 2 then west seventeen chains and fifty links to beginning corner containing twenty-four acres (24) and sisty hundreds of an acre of land and being a part and parcel of the south end of lot No. 2 in the north west quarter of section (19) T39 range one west of the fifth principal meridian. [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1860 Federal Census age 56

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 29, house 888, family 878

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 55; Frances w f 56; Joseph w m 19

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[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia, Jospeh born in Missouri. Rinard a farmer. Living next door to Reuban & Vermetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon.]

1865 Spouse's Civil War Prisoner of War Records, 1861-1865

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Side: Confederate Roll: M598_102 Roll Title: Selected Records of the War Department Relating to Confederate Prisoners of War, 1861-1865

Camp Morton was a military training ground and a Union prisoner-of-war camp in Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana, during the American Civil War. It was named for Indiana governor Oliver Morton. Prior to the war, the site served as the fairgrounds for the Indiana State Fair. During the war, Camp Morton was initially used as a military training ground. The first Union troops arrived at the camp in April 1861. After the fall of Fort Donelson and the Battle of Shiloh, the site was converted into a prisoner-of-war camp. The first Confederate prisoners arrived at Camp Morton on February 22, 1862; its last prisoners were paroled on June 12, 1865. At the conclusion of the war, the property resumed its role as the fairgrounds for the Indiana State Fair. In 1891 the property was sold and developed into a residential neighborhood known as Morton Place, a part of the Herron-Morton Place Historic District.

Research Note

The above Civil War Prisoner Record states Rinard was 59 years old and lived in Washington County, Missouri. Height 5' 5¼", complexion light, eyes blue, hair gray. He was not a soldier but a farmer and a citizen detained until he signed an Oath of Allegiance. Released on 3 January 1865 date of order 23 December 1864 by the Military Prison at Camp Morton, Indiana. Apparently, when the Union Army came upon Grandpa Rinard in Washington County, Missouri, they probably didn't like his attitude. Maybe he was uncooperative and being from Virginia was a natural born enemy of the Union Army. In any case, he was arrested and taken to Camp Morton outside of Indianapolis, Indiana. He was finally released after he signed the Oath of Allegiance.

1870 Federal Census age 66

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98a, 16 August 1870, line 4, house 101, family 101

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 60; Frances w f 66; **POLLARD**, Nancy w f 30; Renard w m 14; Joseph w m 10; Fannie w f 7

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard is a farmer. Living next door to son, Joseph Kimberlin and a few doors down from Alexander & Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.]

1880 Federal Census age 76

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 86a, 12 June 1880, line 31, house 98, family 103

KIMBERLIN, Rhinard w m 75; Frances wife w f 76; **PRATT**, Frances gdau w f 16

[Rhinard & Frances born in Virginia as was their parents. Frances Pratt born in Missouri, her father in Tennessee and her mother in Missouri. Rhinard is a farmer. Next door to son; Joseph Kimberlin family.]

1886 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "39", page 321, 16 February 1886.

Rinard Kimberlin and Frances Kimberlin sold to J.[Jacob] H.[Henry] Pratt part of a lot Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 39, range 1 west. [This property is located off of White creek

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near Athonies Mill.]

[This would be their grandson; Jacob Henry Pratt.]

1886-1900 Death of Rinard E. Kimberlin

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin died between 16 February 1886, when he last sold land, and the date of the 1900 census near Athonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1886-1900 Death of Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin died between 16 February 1886, when she last sold land, and the date of the 1900 census near Athonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1886-1900 Burial of Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

No headstone has been found of him or his wife but he was probably buired in the Kimberlin Cemetery now known as Athonies Mill Cemetery since Kimberlin friends and family are buried there. Long before Jonas Anthony bought out the grist and saw mill from John Harrison in 1856, Kimberlin Cemetery had been established. The oldest recorded burial in the Kimberlin Cemetery that I know of, is Josephine Kimberlin died October 1841 aged 88yrs 2dys, which puts her birth October 1753. I have yet to learn who she was, but she was buried 15 years before Jonas Anthony bought the mill. How or why they changed the name of the cemetery from Kimberlin Cemetery to Athonies Mill, (which they spelled Anthony wrong), sounds like vanity to me. They probably changed the name sometime after Rinard's death or in the early 1900's.

Find A Grave Memorial# 134348225 Created by: Floyd Thomas Pratt, F.H....Record added: Aug 14, 2014

Frances Jane Peters Kimberlin Birth: 1804 Rockingham County Virginia, USA Death: 1886 Washington County Missouri, USA Burial: Athonies Mill Cemetery Johnson Township Washington CountyMissouri, USA

Research Note...Memorial No Longer Exists

My above FAG entry no longer exists as it is written here. When I created the entry I always gave a full Cradle to Grave Profile for the memorial. I removed my original entry due to unethical practices by the Find A Grave administration. Read my 2nd report, "**Why I STILL can no longer support www.findagrave.com**" for details. Due to their unscrupulous practices, I have severed my relationship with the Find A Grave organization. I have asked them to remove all memorials, flowers and any references relating or mentioning my account. I have had an uneasy relationship with their administration for the last 5 years and in my opinion, they have lost faith with the public and violated the public trust. I continue to list various Find A Grave memorials in my publications strictly to affix the burial locations in my reports. Most memorial data on Find A Grave is in conflict with the facts and should not be accepted without research validation. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

Frances married Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin, son of James Kimberling Sr. and Nancy (HUMPHRIES), in 1825 in Botetourt or Giles County, Virginia, United States. Rhinehart was born in 1805 in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, died From 1886 to 1900 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried From 1886 to 1900 in probably Kimberlin Cemetery, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.

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Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin(g)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 5 July 2010

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

For additional information on the Kimberlin and related families read the following **"Rhinehart "Rinard" Kimberlin and Descendants Volume 18 of the Pratt Progenitor Papers Series"** can be accessed at <https://openlibrary.org/people/floydpratt59/lists> under the list... **Pratt Progenitor Papers**

1801-1805 Birthblock for Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin(g) son of James & Nancy (HUMPHRIES) Kimberling

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin(g) was born in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States between 1801-1805.

Date from the 1810 census states his birth was 1801-1810.

Date from the 1820 census states his birth was 1802-1804.

Date from the 1830 census states his birth was 1801-1810.

Date from the 1840 census states his birth was 1801-1810.

Date from the 1850 census states his birth was 1806 in Virginia.

Date from the 1860 census states his birth was 1805 in Virginia.

Date from the 1870 census states his birth was 1810 in Virginia.

Date from the 1880 census states his birth was 1805 in Virginia.

Therefore he could have been born between 1801-1805.

However, I rule out 1810 as a birth year, because he would have been 15 years old when he got married and that is too young and he would have gone to Missouri with his parents in 1825. So, it looks like he was born between 1801-1805.

A Rose by any Other Name by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

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Rhinard, Rynard, Rinard, Renard, Renor, Burnard, Bernard however it was spelled, his given name was actually Rhinehart named after his Great Grandmother, Mary Magdalena (**RHINEHART**) from Germany. There are other instances where Missourians have taken a name and created slang. For instance, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri was actually named after Raliegh, North Carolina but in the translation it became known as "Rolla".

Pronunciation

My best guess as to how to pronounce Rinard Kimberlin's name I think was revealed in the 1840 census. The censustaker spelled his name as Burnard. The 1830 censustaker spelled his name as Renor. Therefore, I feel his name was pronounced Renard as in Ra-nard. I had been previously pronouncing his name as

Ren-ard. But to a censustaker Ra-nard sounds like Burnard but with an R.

Surname

Concerning the surname Kimberlin(g), when Hans Jacob Kümmerlein made his move to Virginia from Germany the frontier of the Appalachian mountains converted his name from Kümmerlein to Kimberling. I have seen it spelled Komberlin, Kimberlin, Kimboling and variations. It appears when Rhinehart moved to Washington County, Missouri, the Kimberling family dropped the "g"

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and they pronounced it as Kim-ber-lin, not "line" or "ling". Now, when Rinard's sibling, Nathaniel moved down to Stone, Arkansas and his other brother, James lived in the Ozarks of Missouri, they retained the "g", in fact, Kimberling City, Stone County, Missouri was named after Rinard's brother; James Kimberling who eventually moved to Springfield, Greene County, Missouri.

Possible Alternative Parentage

Some believe Michael Kimberling born 1751 is the father of Rinard, however, I refute that assumption since Michael Kimberlin married Catherine (**HUMPHRIES**) circa 1782 and out of all the 11 family trees on ancestry.com, not one lists any children they may have had. I have been fortunate to find a researcher back in the 1970's who gave me several of their children listed in his family.

Also, some believe Michael was actually Johan Michael Kimberlin or Michael Johan Kimberlin born 1 July 1753 in Augusta County, Virginia, which makes him brother to Peter Paulzer Kimberlin...Rinard's grandfather, NOT brother to Rinard's father; James Kimberlin Sr., whom was born in 1780-1784.

It is disturbing to see Michael and Catherine (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberling were married circa 1782 and we have no recorded children until the birth 1794-1800 of son Jacob Kimberling. This leaves a 12-year minimum gap after their marriage before any known children were born. This indicates a possibility Catherine (**HUMPHRIES**) may not have been Michael's first wife. Also, since we do not have a verifiable marriage date and record, we are not really sure when they were married. If they were married circa 1782, then there is a huge gap from their marriage date to their first known birth of son; Jacob Kimberling circa 1794-1800. This indicates Catherine was 50 years old when son; Jacob was born.

By the standards of the late 1790's, daughters usually married around 15 to 20 years of age. If Catherine was born circa 1744 then she should have been first married circa 1759-1764. However, no family researcher has discovered any children before son; Jacob (1794-1800). Therefore, this is why I think Catherine may have been Michael's second or third spouse...because of the late dates of the birth of their known children.

There are four sons under the age of 9 listed with Michael Kimberlin family in the 1810 census. Jacob who was born 1794-1800 and Henry who was born in 1805. Therefore, if Rinard Kimberlin who was born 1800-1804 belonged to Michael Kimberling then he would fit nicely in the 1810 census if he is one and the same as our Rinard Kimberlin of Washington County, Missouri.

However looking at James Sr. and Nancy (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberling's 1810 census in the same county, we see James has 3 sons listed under 9 years of age...Nathaniel age 9, ??Rinard age 8, and Joseph age 7. Since Rinard fits in the 1810 census with James Kimberling Sr. and also fits the family of Michael Kimberlin family then we may be dealing with to sons named Rinard Kimberlin in two different families.

Another point...after Rinard married Frances (**PETERS**) in 1825-1826 in possibly Giles County, Virginia, where her parents were living, he moved to Washington County (1825-1827), Missouri near James Sr. and Nancy (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberlin and remained in that county until his death sometime after 1886. I ask...what would motivate Rinard to move from Botetourt or Giles County, Virginia to Washington County, Missouri if his parents were not living in Washington County? Rinard was too young to receive any land grants for his participation in war

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so moving to Missouri was illogical unless he followed his parents.

Also, James and Nancy's children were married and living around Washington County all about the same time between 1825-1830 as when Rinard and Frances arrived in the county.

After 1830, James and son James Jr. moved on to Greene County, Missouri while others moved on to southwest Missouri and Texas. Rinard and alleged sister Nancy Jane (**KIMBERLING**) Clark remained in Washington County and raised large families.

Checking the Michael Kimberlin family I found son; Henry moved to Brooke County, West Virginia where he died, son; Andrew moved to Madison County, Illinois where he died and son; Joseph moved to Cass County, Missouri where he died. NONE of them moved to Washington County, Missouri or lived near their alleged brother; Rinard Kimberlin!!

Also, researchers believe Michael and his wife; Catherine (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberlin died in 1826-1827 respectively according to their estate settlements. If this is true, then why would Rinard leave Botetourt County, Virginia and move to Washington County, Missouri before his parent's died? Also, why wouldn't Rinard have joined one of his brothers in West Virginia, Illinois or Cass County, Missouri?

If Joseph Kimberlin, son of Michael, was Rinard's brother, then why didn't Rinard move to Cass County, Missouri to be near him? According to the 1850, 1860, 1870 census, Joseph Kimberlin son of Michael was living in Dayton Township, Cass County, Missouri where he died. The answer is obvious...they were not Rinard's siblings and James Sr. and Nancy (**HUMPHRIES**) were his parents.

With the strong census evidence, and Rinard's movements before his marriage, the marriage record states he was born in 1800, which indicates he was 25 years old when he did marry Frances and living on his own in Botetourt or Giles County, Rinard after his marriage moved to be near his parents and siblings in Washington County, Missouri. Therefore, I still stand by my conclusion that James Sr. and Nancy (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberlin were Rinard E. Kimberling's parents.

However, this controversy is not settled and further research is warranted. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

1802 Childbirth of brother; Joseph Kimberling

Joseph Kimberling was born in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States circa 1802.

1801-1810 Childbirth of brother; James Kimberling Jr.

James Kimberling Jr. was born in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States between 1801-1810. This birth range is speculative. Since James did not live to the 1850 census we really don't know when he was born. I suspect it was after the 1810 census.

1808 Death of grandfather; Peter Paulzer Kimberling

Peter Paulzer Kimberling died in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States between June 17, 1808 and October 1808.

1810 Federal Census age 7

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Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, "K" listing, page 635

KIMBERLIN, Jas 3-0-0-1 0-1-0-1 4 slaves

free white males 9 & under [James Jr. age]; 9 & under [Rinard age 7]; 9 & under [Nathaniel age 9]; 26-45 [James Sr. age 30]

free white females 10-16 [??]; 26-45 [Nancy age

[On the list living next door to each other are also John, Jacob & Michael Kimberlin]

Kimberlin, John 0-0-1 1-0-1

Kimberlin, Jacob 0-0-1 0-0-0-0-1 3 slaves

Kimberlin, Michael 1-1-0-0-1 1-1-0-1 2 slaves

1811-1815 Childbirth of sister; Nancy Jane (KIMBERLIN)

Nancy Jane (**KIMBERLIN**) was born in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States between 1811-1815.

1813 Washington County, Missouri Territory organized

The county was officially organized on August 21, 1813, and was named in honor of George Washington, the first President of the United States.

1818 Franklin County, Missouri Territory organized

Though still recognized as the part of the Missouri Territory, in 1812 there were 5 counties; St. Charles, St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, Cape Girardeau and New Madrid. By 1813, Washington County was created and in 1816, Howard County followed by Jefferson, Franklin, Wayne, Lincoln, Madison, Montgomery, Pike and Cooper were created in 1818.

1820 Federal Census age 17

Potts Creek, Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, page 518

KIMERLING, James 2-1-1-2-1 0-1-0-1-1 5 agriculture 4 male and 1 female slaves

free white males 9 & under ??; 9 & under [James age 11]; 10-16 [Joseph age 18]; 16-18 [Rinard age 17]; 18-26 [Joseph age 18]; 18-26 [Nathaniel age 19]; 26-45 [James age 39]

free white females 9 & under [Nancy Jane age 5-9]; 16-18 [??]; 26-45 [Nancy age

[On the list are also John & Jacob Kimberling]

Kimberling, John 1-0-0-0-1 4-1-0-1 2 agriculture Sappington Road no slaves

Kimberling, Jacob 0-0-0-0-1 0-0-0-0-1 3 agriculture Sappington Road 2 male & 1 female slaves

1820-1823 Family Move

From Potts Creek, Botetourt County, Virginia, United States to Franklin County, Missouri, United States

Research Note

Evidently, even though his parents moved to Franklin County, Missouri, Rinard and maybe some siblings remained in Botetourt County, Virginia and Rinard did not join his parents until after his marriage in 1825.

1821 State of Missouri Created

The land that is now Missouri was acquired from France as part of the Louisiana Purchase in 1803 and became known as the Missouri Territory on June 4, 1812. The southeastern portion of the territory was admitted into the union as the State of Missouri the 24th state on August 10, 1821. As other states were created from it's huge territorial boundaries, Missouri settled on its

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present shape as it is found today.

1823 Father's Franklin County, Missouri Tax Roll

Franklin County, Missouri, United States

KIMBERLING, James Sr.

1824 Father's Franklin County, Missouri Tax Roll

Franklin County, Missouri, United States

KIMBERLING, James Sr.

1825 Father's Franklin County, Missouri Tax Roll

Franklin County, Missouri, United States

KIMBERLING, James Sr.

1825-1827 Family Move

James and Nancy (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberlin Sr. moved from Franklin County, Missouri, United States to Meramac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

1825 Marriage of Rinard Kimberlin(g) & Frances Jane (PETERS)

[1] U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900 (ancestry.com)

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Gender: Male Birth Place: VA Birth Year: 1800 Spouse Name:

Frances Jane Peters Spouse Birth Place: VA Spouse Birth Year: 1805 Marriage Year: 1825

Number Pages: 1

Resource Note

All evidence indicates they were married between 1824-1825. Catherine is the oldest known child born August 1828 in Missouri NOT Virginia. Since Frances (**PETERS**) parents were still living in Giles County, Virginia next to Botetourt County, then they were probably married in one of those surrounding counties of Virginia or what is now West Virginia. Nevertheless they were married **before** they moved to Missouri. This also presents a problem since the above record indicates they were married in 1825, then daughter; Catherine born in 1828 obviously was not their first born. There could have been up to 3 children born before Catherine and I surmise one of those "missing" children was named after Rinard's father.

Locating the Birth Location of Children

Prior to recorded birth certificates, sometimes family bibles are our only resource as to the dates of birth for family members. Rarely are the birth locations recorded in these sources, so we are at the mercy of census data to give us an idea as to where the children may have been born. It is not unusual for the family to have moved into a different locale every 10 years thereby making the birth location of the children even more difficult.

The best way to determine where the children were born in-between the census dates is to look at the deed books of the counties involved, Checking the deed books in the county they were living in the earliest recorded census for any and all property transactions concerning your subject should reveal the exact property locations your subject had purchased thereby giving you a good indication where their homestead was located.

Following each subsequent year since the first census date and checking for additional property purchases will help you to familiarize yourself with your ancestor's residence locale. When you

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have located a sale transaction of their homestead property in that county, meaning the last recorded record for your ancestor's property transactions, then it is time to go to the county listed in the next subsequent census data.

Checking the "new" county they moved to should reveal your ancestor's first property transaction. This property transaction could have taken place prior to the census date so be mindful your ancestor was already living on their new property BEFORE the census date. If they left that county and moved to a different county before the next census date, then repeat your investigation into each deed books of each county, thereby giving you a good indication of their movements and birth locations of their children.

Sometimes these deed records even list death information concerning your ancestors and marriage information including dates, and/or locations of these events. I have also seen additional family members listed in these recorded documents and sometimes when the property is the ancestor's first transaction, the recorder will list the ancestor's original location such as a state, county or city from where they originated.

When you have found the original homestead location of your ancestor, don't overlook the opportunity to go to that property and walk the homestead for additional clues as to their lifestyle.

Sometimes-family burial plots have been located on these properties, which have not been recorded on any map, and you might find family heirlooms in and around the old home if the foundation is still standing. Coins, pottery, jewelry, pictures and other items of interest to the family history researcher have been located during such excursions.

In any case, knowing where your ancestor lived and walking the ground your ancestor walked is an exciting and rewarding as well as a humbling experience and should not be overlooked by the serious family researcher. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

1827 Family Move

From Botetourt County, Virginia, United States to Meremec Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.

"Forest Hills and Vicinity" by John Steele McCormick, © 1970, page 140

"Besides the Harrison's, Summers, Anthonys and various Harman families, the Kimberlin family has always been associated with this area. There were at least two and possibly three founding families of which the best known is the Rhinard and Frances Kimberlin family who came from Virginia in 1827 and settled in Washington County (according to Stevens history.) They settled at Anthonies Mill about 1845. They were parents of four sons and four daughters all of whom married into local families. Unfortunately, family data was not made available. They were: Joseph, Jacob, Michael, Henry, Mary, Nancy, Catherine, and Vermetta. Vermetta, in 1853 married Ruben Harman. Curiously, she used the name Henrietta, when she married Ruben. The marriage is recorded at Potosi and the dates correspond to Vermetta's. The family often spelled the name Kimberling. Ben Kimberling in 1825 in St. Louis, made the first entry for land in Township 40; Range 1 West of Washington County."

1828 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine (KIMBERLING)

Catherine (**KIMBERLING**) was born in Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on August 1828.

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Research Note

Since John Jacob Peters Jr. was living in Giles County, Virginia up until 1830 when he moved to Washington County, Missouri indicates that Rinard and Frances were married in Giles County before their first born daughter; Catherine was born in 1828 in Missouri. After their marriage and before the birth of Catherine, Rinard and Frances moved to be near his parents who were living in Washington County, Missouri. The article John McCormick's book "**Forest Hills and Vicinity**" 1970 stated the following, "*There were at least two and possibly three founding families of which the best known is the Rhinard and Frances Kimberlin family who came from Virginia in 1827 and settled in Washington County (according to Stevens history.)*" This is in harmony with the research evidence.

1830 Father-in-Law's Family Move

John Jacob Peters Jr. moved from Giles, Virginia, United States to Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. It appears that after the death of his 1st wife John Jun. and son John III moved to Missouri. Probably because of the Kimberlin(g) families who all moved around 1826-1827 to Missouri. John II appears both in the Giles County, Virginia census and the Washington County, Missouri census. It also looks like a majority of his children stayed in Giles County because only John III shows up in the 1830 Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States census with his father. Also, since Rinard moved to Washington County, Missouri several years before his father-in-law...John Jacob Peters Jr. moved to Washington County, would indicate Rinard moved to be near his parents and John Jacob Peter Jr. moved to be near his daughter and his grandchildren.

1830 Federal Census age 27

Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 71, after 1 June 1830, line 3

KIMBOLING, Renard 0-0-0-1-1 1-0-0-0-1

free white males 15-19 [unknown male]; 20-29 [Rinard age 27]

free white females 4 & under [Catherine age 2]; 20-29 Frances age 25]

[This unknown male could have been a younger brother of Rinard's or Frances'.]

1830-1840 Family Move

From Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States to Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States. Depends on when they moved. We cannot determine in what township the children were born unless by checking the deed records of Washington County should indicate when Rinard first bought property in Washington County thereby giving us a good indication when he arrived in Missouri. Also, when he sold his Meremac Township holdings and bought property in Richwoods Township would give us an approximate date of their move and the birth location of the children.

1831 Childbirth of son; Jacob Kimberling

Jacob Kimberling was born in Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 6 March 1831.

Research Note

Since it appears this son; Jacob was named after France Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberling's father; John Jacob Peters Sr. then this supports my theory the "missing" children after Rinard and Frances' marriage...could have been up to three before the birth of daughter; Catherine in 1828. One of those missing children could have been named after Rinard's father. Remember

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many families as they trekked west, lost children and family members on the trail due to disease, the elements and hostile environments.

1832 Childbirth of daughter; Vernetta (KIMBERLING)

Vernetta (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1832.

1835 Childbirth of son; Michael L. Kimberling

Michael Kimberling was born in either Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

Research Note

This son, Michael is not the first male child named in this family. It was customary for the first male born to be named after the husband's father's name. The second male born was usually named after the wife's father's first name, *i.e.* in this case Jacob after Frances' father; Johan Jacob Peters. Some researchers think Michael Kimberling whom married Catherine (**HUMPHRIES**) were Rinard's parents. If so, naming a son Michael after Rinard's father, Michael this late in the birth order is out of character and does not follow the customs of the day. Remember, prior to daughter; Catherine's birth in August 1828, there could have been up to 3 children born after Rinard and Frances' marriage in 1825.

1835 Childbirth of daughter; Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835. [My 2nd Great Grandmother]

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown daughter (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

Research Note

Naming a daughter Nancy could have been from Rinard's alleged mother; Nancy (**HUMPRIES**) whom married James Kimberling Sr.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told

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Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes, which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 37

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, after 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49

[Rinard age 37]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Living next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from brother-in-law; John Peters Jr.]

Research Note

If the census taker thought his name was Burnard, then this gives us a clue as to how his name was pronounced. Evidently, he was called Rurnard rhyming with Burnard.

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri, which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri Acres: 78.96

Accession Number: MO0720__ 124 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St. Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948 Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington North East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now

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known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of son; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

Research Note

Naming a son Joseph could have come from two sources. If Rinard is the son of Michael and Catherine (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberling, they too had a son named Joseph born 1811 and possibly Rinard's brother. On the other hand, if Rinard is the son of James and Nancy (**HUMPHRIES**) Kimberling, they also had a son named Joseph born 1802 and possible brother to Rinard. So, at this stage we don't know the inspiration for Rinard and Nancy naming a son...Joseph.

1844 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844
Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two
west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundreds of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulseys in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907
Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40
Accession Number:MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No
US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:15803 Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington
the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1849 Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907
Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the

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South West $\frac{1}{4}$ of the North West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1850 Federal Census age 47

Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m 19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1854 Family Move

From Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States to near Anthonie Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.

1854 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 519, 6 February 1854

Firmin Desloge and wife Cynthia Ann sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, Lot #2 in the North West quarter of Section (19) nineteen in Township Thirty-nine (39) North of Range One (1w) containing one hundred and five acres (105). [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1854 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", page 579, 25 February 1854

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Francis sold to James Pratt for seventy-three dollars and eighty cents, South West corner of Lot two (2) in the North West quarter of Section (19) Township 39, Range One West (R1W) headed North with the range line at twelve chains corner on said line turning east at twenty three chains and fifty links intersected the branch there down the spring branch making the branch the line to the intersection of the south line of lot 2 then west seventeen chains and fifty links to beginning corner containing twenty-four acres (24) and sixty hundreds of an acre of land and being a part and parcel of the south end of lot No. 2 in the north west quarter of section (19) T39 range one west of the fifth principal meridian. [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1860 Federal Census age 57

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 29, house 888, family 878

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 55; Frances w f 56; Joseph w m 19

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia, Joseph born in Missouri. Rinard a farmer. Living next door to Reuban & Vermetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon.]

1865 Civil War Prisoner of War Records, 1861-1865

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Side: Confederate Roll: M598_102 Roll Title: Selected Records of the War Department Relating to Confederate Prisoners of War, 1861-1865

Camp Morton was a military training ground and a Union prisoner-of-war camp in Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana, during the American Civil War. It was named for Indiana governor Oliver Morton. Prior to the war, the site served as the fairgrounds for the Indiana State Fair. During the

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war, Camp Morton was initially used as a military training ground. The first Union troops arrived at the camp in April 1861. After the fall of Fort Donelson and the Battle of Shiloh, the site was converted into a prisoner-of-war camp. The first Confederate prisoners arrived at Camp Morton on February 22, 1862; its last prisoners were paroled on June 12, 1865. At the conclusion of the war, the property resumed its role as the fairgrounds for the Indiana State Fair. In 1891 the property was sold and developed into a residential neighborhood known as Morton Place, a part of the Herron-Morton Place Historic District.

Research Note

The above Civil War Prisoner Record states Rinard was 59 years old and lived in Washington County, Missouri. Height 5' 5¼", complexion light, eyes blue, hair gray. He was not a soldier but a farmer and a citizen detained until he signed an Oath of Allegiance. Released on 3 January 1865 date of order 23 December 1864 by the Military Prison at Camp Morton, Indiana. Apparently, when the Union Army came upon Grandpa Rinard in Washington County, Missouri, they probably didn't like his attitude. Maybe he was uncooperative and being from Virginia was a natural born enemy of the Union Army. In any case, he was arrested and taken to Camp Morton outside of Indianapolis, Indiana. He was finally released after he signed the Oath of Allegiance.

1870 Federal Census age 67

Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 98a, 16 August 1870, line 4, house 101, family 101

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 60; Frances w f 66; **POLLARD**, Nancy w f 30; Renard w m 14; Joseph w m 10; Fannie w f 7

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard is a farmer. Living next door to son, Joseph Kimberlin and a few doors down from Alexander & Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.]

1880 Federal Census age 77

Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 86a, 12 June 1880, line 31, house 98, family 103

KIMBERLIN, Rhinard w m 75; Frances wife w f 76; **PRATT**, Frances gdau w f 16

[Rhinard & Frances born in Virginia as was their parents. Frances Pratt born in Missouri, her father in Tennessee and her mother in Missouri. Rhinard is a farmer. Next door to son; Joseph Kimberlin family.]

1886 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "39", page 321, 16 February 1886.

Rinard Kimberlin and Frances Kimberlin sold to J.[Jacob] H.[Henry] Pratt part of a lot Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 39, range 1 west. [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

[This would be their grandson; Jacob Henry Pratt son of James and Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt]

1886-1900 Death of Rinard E. Kimberlin

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin died near Athonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States between 16 February 1886, when he last sold property, and before the date of the 1900 census. Checking the local newspapers at that time period might reveal a more accurate death date and burial location.

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1886-1900 Burial of Rinard E. Kimberlin

No headstone has been found of him or his wife but he was probably buried in the Kimberlin Cemetery now known as Anthonies Mill Cemetery since Kimberlin friends and family are buried there. Long before Jonas Anthony bought out the grist and saw mill from John Harrison in 1856, Kimberlin Cemetery had been established. The oldest recorded burial in the Kimberlin Cemetery that I know of, is Josephine Kimberlin died October 1841 aged 88yrs 2dys, which puts her birth October 1753. I have yet to learn who she was, but she was buried 15 years before Jonas Anthony bought the mill. How or why they changed the name of the cemetery from Kimberlin Cemetery to Anthonies Mill, (which they spelled Anthony wrong), is unknown. They probably changed the name sometime after Rinard's death or in the early 1900's.

Kimberlin Cemetery by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2011

Troubling Controversy

As I continue my research into family histories as I have done over the last 38 years, I become more and more annoyed by certain injustices that seem to have taken place. One of these injustices is the naming of Anthonies Mill Cemetery by state and local officials who haven't a clue as to the real and correct origins of the cemetery. I shall present the evidence to the reader and let you draw your own conclusions.

Kimberlin(g) Cemetery

Kimberlin(g) Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill, is located off of Highway N North of where Summer's store then Kimberlin's Store was located in Section 19, Township 39 North, Range 1 West in the Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri. Latitude: 38.09171, Longitude: -91.08597

When Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberlin(g) came to Washington County, Missouri in 1827, they first settled in the Meramec Township, Washington County area by the 1830 census.

Rinard bought property in the Richwoods Township, Washington County by the 1840 census. On 21 September 1840, his brother-in-law; John & Mary (**HULSEY**) Peters sold him 40 acres in what is called the Hamilton Hollow area of Johnson Township.

Hamilton Hollow is another example of an injustice concerning the naming of the area. Originally it was named after Absalom Blanton and renamed Hamilton after the Hamilton Iron Works purchased some property, which originally belonged to the Blanton family.

Kimberlin Cemetery History

On the 6th of February 1854, Firmin Rene & Cynthia Ann (**McILVAINE**) Desloge based out of Potosi, sold 105 acres to Rinard and family in the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 39 North, Range 1 west for \$300.

How long Rinard and family had lived in the area before purchasing the property is unknown. After establishing residence in that area, Rinard donated the property for a cemetery named in his honor as the Kimberlin Cemetery.

The very first known recorded person with a headstone to have been buried in the Kimberlin Cemetery was Josephine Kimberlin born October 1753 and died October 1841 aged 88 years

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and 2 days. I have yet to learn who she was, but she was buried 15 years before Jonas Anthony bought the gristmill.

The Gristmill changes hands

Long before Jonas Anthony bought the grist and sawmill from John Harrison in 1856, Kimberlin Cemetery had been established on land donated by Rinard Kimberlin in the furthestmost part of his legal property.

Rinard owned 105 acres, which the cemetery is located on, and he established a community burial location for hundreds of his family and friends.

How or why they changed the name of the cemetery from Kimberlin Cemetery to Anthonies Mill, (which they spelled Anthony wrong), is unknown...unless to appeal to Jonas Anthony's vanity.

To change the name of the cemetery from Kimberlin to Anthonies Mill is unconscionable especially when all the facts are known.

Most of the death certificates recorded by the State of Missouri after 1910 of the people, who died in the area, are listed on the death certificate as being buried in the Kimberlin Cemetery...not Anthonies Mill Cemetery.

In fact, I cannot recall seeing any death certificates that names the burial place as Anthonies Mill!!

To add insult to injury, the **first and only Anthony** to be buried in the Kimberlin Cemetery was John Rush Anthony born 2 September 1864 and died **25 August 1895!**

I surmise they probably changed the name sometime after Rinard's death and in the mid 1900's. This coincides with the Anthonies Mills lake project however, prior to that time period, it was and always was known as the Kimberlin Cemetery.

Questionable Source

"History of Forest Hill and Vicinity" by John Steele McCormick © 1970 pages 139-140,

ANTHONIES MILL

This settlement was named for Jonas M. Anthony, born in North Carolina in 1800, died at his home in what was then Harrison's Mill, and is buried in the Harrison Cemetery. He married, May 2, 1831, Nancy Twitty, daughter of John and Mary Twitty. The ceremony was performed by B. Hill, justice of the peace of that area.

The Twitty family had come from Davidson County, Tennessee in 1819 to Franklin Co., Mo., but had early removed to the Harrison settlement.

One of their daughters, Ellen, married Batteal Harrison. (see p.) John Twitty's name appears among the original landholders on the 1829 list made when the county was organized.

His major holding was the eastern half of S. W. quarter of Section 14, Township 39; Range 2, but he owned much in the Hinch area and more in Washington County.

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In 1856 Jonas M. Anthony bought out the grist and saw mill from John Harrison who had constructed them. He continued in the milling business until his death. He held slaves and sent them to various nearby farmers to buy grain. One old slave, "Uncle Sol" remained loyal to the family after the war and lived with the Stephen D. Anthony family until his death.

Jonas and Nancy (Twitty) Anthony had ten children, all of whom married into families of western Washington County. His son, John M. Anthony was sheriff of Washington County. John's son, J. Rush Anthony, purchased the old C.E. Summers' store.

Stephen D. Anthony, the eighth child was born in 1848. He took over the management of the mills and, in 1880, greatly enlarged the grist mill and bought new machinery. At this time he discarded the historic burrs. "Hard money" was scarce so Mr. Anthony took out a portion of the meal from each grind as toll from each customer. His new mill could run about 25 barrels a day. He became independently rich as increased population caused his business to flourish and the land values to rise.

When the post office was re-established in the early '70's, Stephen D. Anthony was named postmaster and the name was changed to Anthonies Mill-this is the original spelling. The original Harrison Mills Post Office was established June 26, 1832 and was the oldest in northern Crawford County.

Benjamin Harrison was first postmaster; John W. Harman was the second (1851); Andrew Harrison was the postmaster in 1856. The original post office was on the old Anthony farm (now owned by Henry Merkel) close to the M. L. Record home. Shortly after it was moved to the Summers' store site (later Kimberlin's store). The office was discontinued in 1953.

Due to its intermediate position between Potosi and northern Crawford County's settlements, Anthonies Mill was a village of relative importance. Until the coming of the railroad all mail came by horse back from Potosi via Anthonies Mill. The first frame house in the settlement was built by B. T. Pinson. The blacksmith shop was built in 1878. The most romantic event in the village was the David Greenlee-Martha Moutry elopement.

Here the Methodists built one of their first churches in this county in 1863 under the guidance of Rev. Valentine Carter who was its first pastor. The Baptists built their church in 1870. Rev. S.B. Grant was the first pastor. In addition to the churches, there was, during the seventies, an established doctor (Dr. A. H. Converse), a druggist, a shoemaker (T. J. Russell), the blacksmith shop (usually run by some of the Harmans), a good store and the mills.

Besides the Harrisons, Summers, Anthonys and various Harman families, the Kimberlin family has always been associated with this area.

There were at least two and possibly three founding families of which the best known is the Rhinard and Frances Kimberlin family who came from Virginia in 1827 and settled in Washington County (according to Stevens history.) They settled at Anthonies Mill about 1845. They were parents of four sons and four daughters all of whom married into local families. Unfortunately, family data was not made available.

They were: Joseph, Jacob, Michael, Henry, Mary, Nancy, Catherine and Vermetta. Vermetta, in 1853 married Ruben Harman. Curiously, she used the name Henrietta, when she married

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Ruben. The marriage is recorded at Potosi and the dates correspond to Vermetta's. The family often spelled the name Kimberling. Ben Kimberling in 1825 in St. Louis, made the first entry for land in Township 40; Range 1 West of Washington County.

Fallacies and Falsehoods

Much of what was written above fails to take in the land contribution for the Kimberlin Cemetery by Rinard Kimberling and the Kimberlins as **THE** major contributor to the Kimberlin Cemetery.

Also, not much credit is given to the Harrison family who brought the hand-hewn gristmill stones from the east to establish the Harrison Mill and used the stones for the mill at the now named Anthonies Mill.

After selling the Mill to Jonas Anthony, John Harrison and family moved to Oregon.

Jonas Anthony as a local businessman is credited with the settlement but even Mr. McCormick's article declares that John Harrison had actually settled and established a mill at the location long before Jonas Anthony moved into the area.

So, to keep the record straight, I have given credit where credit is due and the settlement was originally named Harrison's Mill and the cemetery was Kimberlin Cemetery and it is an injustice to give the Anthony family the name of the cemetery where only one Anthony is buried.

Even Jonas Anthony is buried in the Harrison Cemetery. But, hundreds of Kimberlin and related families are buried in the Kimberlin Cemetery.

Rinard Kimberlin a wealthy, long established resident of Washington County is the originator and benefactor of the Kimberlin Cemetery.

Jonas Anthony's contribution was that he was a latecomer and bought an established business and under the guise of vanity renamed the area after himself.

The local inhabitants not knowing the true history of the cemetery, renamed the cemetery after him and even named it wrong by spelling it Anthonies Mill.

I am sure that one-day maybe this injustice will be corrected and my 3rd Great Grandfather; Rinard Kimberlin will receive proper credit for his contribution to the local community and the cemetery will be changed back to the Kimberlin Cemetery.

If not, then I know the truth and now you know the truth.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.
2 October 2011

Email from Sue Kimberlin sue_kimberlin@yahoo.com 29 September 2013

hi. My cousin Shirley in CA sent me copies of land deed papers she copied when she was researching our family. See attached., She even gives the pages of the deed and the names of court officials. According to her records, Michael was the father of Rinard. Please respond to these documents and information. Thanks so much for your help.

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Email from Sue Kimberlin sue_kimberlin@yahoo.com 1 February 2014 10:18 PM (3 hours ago)

I received proof from another person on ancestry that Rinard was Michael Kimberlin's father. The original document is not very easy to read, so I have typed below what it says.

Michael Kimberlin was one of the wealthiest men in Alleghany County at his death. The appraisement of the personal property in 1826 amounted to \$5,000.00. The list of his heirs given in a deed conveying 121 acres in Richpatch to J.V. Humphries is as follows: Jacob Kimberlin and wife Nancy, Henry, Mary, Audrey, Rinard, and Joseph Kimberlin, all of Alleghany County. (Deed Book 2, page 58, Alleghany County Records.)

Research Note

Read the article, "**Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin(g) and his Troublesome Parentage**" by Floyd Thoms Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

Children from this marriage were:

- 15 F i. **Catherine (KIMBERLIN)** was born in August 1828 in Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died 28 March 1912 near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried in March 1912 in Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Catherine (KIMBERLIN)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1828 Birthblock for Catherine (KIMBERLIN) daughter of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) was born in Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on August 1828.

Date from 1830 census states she was born 1825-1830.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1825-1830.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1828 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1830 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1824 in Tennessee.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1829 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born August 1828 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1828 in Missouri.

Date from the obituary states she was born 1828.

1827 Family Move

From Botetourt, Virginia, United States to Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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"Forest Hills and Vicinity" by John Steele McCormick, © 1970, page 140

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1830 Federal Census age 2

Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 71, line 3

KIMBOLING, Renard 0-0-0-1-1 1-0-0-0-1

free white males 15-19 [unknown male]; 20-29 [Rinard age 24]

free white females 4 & under [**Catherine age 2**]; 20-29 Frances age 25]

[This unknown male could have been a younger brother of Rinard's.]

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From Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Depends on when they moved. We cannot determine in what township the children were born.

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Jacob Kimberling was born in Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 March 1831.

1832 Childbirth of sister; Vernetta (KIMBERLING)

Vernetta (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1832.

1835 Childbirth of brother; Michael L. Kimberling

Michael Kimberling was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

1835 Childbirth of sister; Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown sister (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

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1837 Childbirth of sister; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

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1840 Federal Census age 12

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

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free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East $\frac{1}{4}$ of South West $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and $\frac{42}{100}$ in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri Acres: 78.96 Accession Number: MO0720___.124 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St. Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948 Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington North East $\frac{1}{4}$ of the North West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of brother; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundredths of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

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1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri
Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0830___.442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St.
Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24,
1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:15803 Legal Land
Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties:
Franklin, Washington
the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1
West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.
[This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties
near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February
1848

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler,
for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North
West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing
forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a
Hamilton Hollow.]

1847-1848 Marriage James Pratt & Catherine (KIMBERLING)

James Pratt and Cathreine (KIMBERLIN) were married on 1847/1849 in
Missouri. Most likely in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States,
because that is where her parents were living and their first born; Jacob Henry Pratt
was born in 1848.

1848 Childbirth of son; Jacob Henry Pratt

Jacob Henry Pratt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
on 28 November 1848.

1850 Federal Census age 22

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850,
line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Frances w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m
19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were
farmers.]

Research Note

I am not sure of the significance of Frances listing Catherine with her family on
29 October 1850 to the census taker and then Catherine is shown as married to
James Pratt on 30 October 1850. Since little Jacob Henry was 1 year old then we
can rule out the possibility they may have just married. Another possibility we would
have to rule out, is if the census taker asked Frances to list her children, she listed
all of her children even Catherine who was already married and moved out of her
parent's home.

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1850 Federal Census age 22

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157b, 30 October 1850, line 20, house 964, family 964

PRATT, James w m 27; Catherine w f 21; Jacob H. w m 1

[James was born in Tennessee, Catherine was born in Missouri as was Jacob.]

1852 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Frances "Fannie" (PRATT)

Sarah Frances "Fannie" (**PRATT**) was born 16 January 1852 Antonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1856 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt

Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt was born July 1856 near Antonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1860 Federal Census age 32

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 465, 26 July 1860, line 3, house 891, family 881

PRATTE, James w m 36; Catherine w f 30; Jacob H. w m 11; Sarah w f 9; Rinard w m 4

[James was born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. James is a farmer. Living next door to Jacob & Delilah (**HARPER**) Kimberlin, Reuban & Vernetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon, Rinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin, Marion Pennock who bought the Alexander & mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt place, Jacob & Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) Pollard family all around the White Creek area now known as Anthony's Mill.]

1864 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy "Nannie" Young (PRATT)

Nancy "Nannie" Young (**PRATT**) was born 1 December 1864 at Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 42

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 6, house 95, family 95

PRATT, James w m 46; Catherine w f 46; Sarah F. w f 18; Renard A. w m 13; Nancy w f 4

[All born in Tennessee (*sic*). Living next door to son, Jacob Henry & Sarah Elizabeth "Lizzie" (**PINSON**) Pratt. James is a farmer.]

1874 Spousal Will of James Pratt

Washington, Missouri, United States dated 22 June 1874 named as spouse in husband's will.

1874 Death of spouse; James Pratt

James Pratt died at Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25 June 1874.

1875 Marriage of widower Alexander Blanton Sr. and widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

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Alexander Blanton Sr. and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875 in Crawford Co., MO.

1880 Federal Census age 52

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 21, 24 June 1880, house 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of spouse; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

Date from headstone states he died April 3, 1882.

Date from family bible states he died April 29, 1888.

1886-1900 Death of parents; Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after a deed record in 1886 and before the 1900 census.

1900 Federal Census age 72

Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 55, 2 June 1900, line 62, house 12, family 12

HARMON, Page head w m born May 1857 age 43; Nancy Y. wife w f born December 1865 age 34; John B. son w m born March 1884 age 16; Stephen H. son w m born August 1885 age 14; Lizzie C. dau w f born December 1887 age 12; Elmer I. son w m born April 1889 age 9; Thaddeus son born December 1892 age 7; Ava E. dau w f born December 1897 age 2; **PRATT, Catherine mother-in-law born August 1828 age 71**

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Page's father was born in Virginia and Catherine's parents were born in Virginia. Page and Nancy have been married for 17 years and Nancy says she has had 6 children born and 6 are living. Catherine is a widow. Page is a farmer.]

1910 Federal Census age 82

Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 58b, 15 April 1910, line 91, house 20, family 20

HARMON, Page J. head w m 53; Nannie Y. wife w f 45; Lizzie C. dau w f 22; Elmer J. son w m 20; Thaddeus son w m 17; Ava E. dau w f 12; Raymond O. son w m 5; Oral R. son w m 1 7/12; **BLANTON, Katherine mother-in-law w f 82**

[All born in Missouri and was their parents except page's father was born in Virginia. They have been married 27 years and 8 children have been born and 8 are living. Katherine is a widow and she says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Page is a farmer.]

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1912 Death of Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 March 1912.

1912 Obituary of Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

[1] Death notice from the Sullivan News, April 4, 1912, in the Aldire Articles.

Died-March 28th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Page Harmon, near Anthonies Mill, Mrs. Catherine Blanton, age 84 years, maiden name Kimberlin. Deceased was twice married, her first husband being James Pratt. Both husbands had preceded her to the great beyond several years ago. She had been a member of the Methodist Church for many years and a faithful Christian. Funeral was conducted by Rev. M.A. Clayton. Interment was made in the Kimberlin Cemetery.

[I found her death notice in the newspaper at Columbia, Missouri at the Missouri State Historical Society. I could not find her in the Missouri Death Certificate search engine]

1912 Burial of Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States (no headstone) Probably buried next to her 1st husband, James Pratt.

Find A Grave Memorial# 133302982 Created by: Floyd Thomas Pratt, F.H....

Record added: Jul 25, 2014

Catherine Kimberlin Blanton Birth: Aug., 1828 Washington County Missouri, USA Death: Mar. 28, 1912 Anthonies Mill Washington County Missouri, USA Burial: Anthonies Mill Cemetery Johnson Township Washington County Missouri, USA

Research Note...Memorial No Longer Exists

My above FAG entry no longer exists as it is written here. When I created the entry I always gave a full Cradle to Grave Profile for the memorial. I removed my original entry due to unethical practices by the Find A Grave administration. Read my 2nd report, "**Why I STILL can no longer support www.findagrave.com**" for details. Due to their unscrupulous practices, I have severed my relationship with the Find A Grave organization. I have asked them to remove all memorials, flowers and any references relating or mentioning my account. I have had an uneasy relationship with their administration for the last 5 years and in my opinion, they have lost faith with the public and violated the public trust. I continue to list various Find A Grave memorials in my publications strictly to affix the burial locations in my reports. Most memorial data on Find A Grave is in conflict with the facts and should not be accepted without research validation. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

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Catherine married **James Pratt**, son of **Henry Pratt** and **Nancy (CARTER)**, about 1847-1848 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States. James was born 30 September 1822 in Greene County, Tennessee, United States, died 25 June 1874 near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 51, and was buried in June 1874 in Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States.

James Pratt...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1822 Birthblock for James Pratt son of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

James Pratt was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 30 September 1822.

Date from the 1830 census states 1820-1825.

Date from the 1840 census states 1825-1830.

Date from the 1850 census states 1823 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1860 census states 1824 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1870 census states 1824 in Tennessee.

Date from the headstone states he was born 30 September 1822.

1825-1826 Family Move

Henry Pratt family moved from Greene, Tennessee, United States to Monroe, Tennessee, United States about the same time Nancy's parents and siblings moved to Monroe County around the time of the gold discovery in Monroe County in 1826.

1826-1830 Childbirth of brother; _____ Pratt

1st Pratt male was born between 1826-1830 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1826-1830 Childbirth of brother; _____ Pratt

2nd Pratt male was born between 1826-1830 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1828 Childbirth of sister; Lorenda (PRATT)

Lorenda (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 1828.

1830 Childbirth of sister; Nancy Miriah (PRATT)

Nancy Miriah (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 10 July 1830.

1830 Federal Census age 8

Regiment 67, Monroe, Tennessee, United States, page 111

PRATT, Henry 2-1-0-0-1-0-0-1 2-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [unknown son]; 4 & under [unknown son]; 5-9 [**James age 8**];

20-29 [Henry age 30]; 50-60 [unknown male]

free white females 4 & under [Nancy Miriah age 1]; 4 & under [Lorenda age 2]; 5-9 [Susanna Rebecca age 9]; 20-29 [Nancy (**CARTER**) age 30]

[Should be noted that in this census and around the county there are Blantons and Carters and

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Harmons in close proximity of Henry's family, but Henry is the only Pratt family in the county at this time.]

1831 Childbirth of brother; Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Alexander R. Pratt was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in March 1831 . [My 4thggfather]

1834 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Ann (PRATT)

Sarah Ann (PRATT) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 31 October 1834.

1837 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 4 January 1837.

1838 Father's Property Participation

Monroe County Tennessee Registrar Book "K" pages 384,5,6 2 July 1838

"John Dyer to the trustees of Ebenezer Camp Grounds: This indenture made this 2nd of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight between John Dyer of the county of Monroe and state of Tennessee of the one part and Henry Pratt, John Key, Lewis Carter, John L. McKenzie, Jacob C. Brown, Joseph Forshaw, George Selvidge, Benjamin Parker, and Lewis Parks trustess of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Ebenezer meeting house and camp grounds all the county of the state aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that the said John Dyer for and consideration of the sum of fifty dollars when for the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained & sold all the parcel of land lying in the Hiwassee District on Bat Creek being a part of the north west quarter of section twenty thru and second township in the second range east of the meridian beginning at the north west corner of said quarter running south with the line of said section Bat Creek thence down the creek with it's border where the creek crosses the east and west line on the north side of said quarter thence with a line beginning containing two acres of land whereon Ebenezer Meeting House and camp grounds by the same more or less and all the estate right title interest property and claims of him the said John Dyer of in and to the same to have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and ingular the premises and very track and parcel thereof with the appointment with the aforementioned said trustees and the Methodist Episcopal Church forever and the said John Dyer for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said trustees and their successors in office by these presents that he promises before now and forever hereafter shall remain free from all former and other gifts grants bargains sells charges and incumbrances does sell this land.

John Dyer

[Lewis Carter is Henry Pratt's brother-in-law, Joseph Forshee is the brother or father of a daughter that married a Harmon. Henry Pratt not an originator of the deed but Lewis talked him into the participation. Cherokees were not allowed to own land.]

1838 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in August 1838.

Red Clay State Park, the site of the last Cherokee council before The Trail of Tears began, is located in Bradley County.

1838 Forced Move "Trail of Tears"

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the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the "Trail of Tears" in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri by the 1840 census.-Floyd Thomas Pratt

1939 Arrival in Missouri

After a long cold, hard winter the Pratt's found a way to escape from their military escort and followed the creeks from the "Trail of Tears" or what is now known as highway 8 in Crawford County, Missouri and settled 12 miles north in Crawford County before moving into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri by the 1840 census. They began to make friends with other "exiles" who were also in hiding from the government. A local family, the Rinard (Rhinehart) Kimberlin(g) family befriended the Pratts and was instrumental in helping the Pratt family to adjust to their new home life. Also, the Absalom Blanton family helped the Pratts and intermarried which was Cherokee tradition. More in the book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

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1840 Federal Census age 18

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198:

PRATT, Henry 1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

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free white females 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 1]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susanna Rebecca age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 40]

1841 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) was born in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 October 1841.

1841 to 1850 Death of father; Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) who was born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt that Alexander had gone to California in 1848/1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 census like Alexander does. I have checked available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed said that she thought she had seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt.

Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County. Regrettably, due to old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1847-1848 Marriage of James Pratt and Catherine (KIMBERLIN)

James Pratt and Cathreine (**KIMBERLIN**) were married about 1847 to 1849 in Missouri. Most likely in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, because that is where her parent's were living and their first born; Jacob Henry Pratt was born in 1849.

1848 Childbirth of son; Jacob Henry Pratt

Jacob Henry Pratt was born near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 29 November 1848.

1850 Federal Census age 28

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157b, 30 October 1850, line 20,

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house 964, family 964

PRATT, James w m 27; Catherine w f 21; Jacob H. w m 1

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1852 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Frances "Fannie" (PRATT)

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1854 Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "I", page 579, 25 February 1854

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Francis sold to James Pratt, 24 acres for \$73.00. South West corner of Lot two (2) in the North West quarter of Section (19), Township (39), range one West (R1W) headed North with the range line at twelve chains corner on said line turning east at twenty three chains and fifty links intersected the branch there down the spring branch making the branch the line to the intersection of the south line of lot then west seventeen chains and fifty links to beginning corner containing twenty-four acres and sixty hundreds of an acre of land and being a part and parcel of the south end of lot No. 2 in the north west quarter of section (19) T39, range one west of the fifth principal meridian. This property is located west of where Anthonies Mill was located.

1856 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt

Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt was born near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on July 1856.

1860 Federal Census age 38

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 465, 26 July 1860, line 3, house 891, family 881

PRATTE, James w m 36; Catherine w f 30; Jacob H. w m 11; Sarah w f 9; Rinard w m 4

[James was born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. James is a farmer. Living next door to Jacob & Delilah (**HARPER**) Kimberlin, Reuban & Vernetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon, Rinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin, Marion Pennock who bought the Alexander & mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt place, Jacob & Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) Pollard family all around the White Creek area now known as Anthony's Mill.]

1864 Military Medical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals for pension applications in Potosi, Mo. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the library at the University Of Missouri in the manuscript room at Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. April 9, 1864

#179 James Pratt age 40- Diagnosis: Chronic ulceration of libia & varicose veins.

September 22, 1864

#295 James Pratt age 39- Diagnosis: Chronic ulceration of the libia of left leg and varicose veins. ??ppestrophy of the liver."

[These medicals took place at Potosi, Washington County, Missouri. James is listed twice.

Apprently the Union Army was having trouble raising enough able-bodied men to fight or he was already in the war and was discharged due to medical condition.]

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1864 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy "Nannie" Young (PRATT)

Nancy "Nannie" Young (**PRATT**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1 December 1864.

1869 Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "R", page 421, 6 September 1869

The Missouri Smelling and Mineral Land Company sold land to James Pratt who paid \$40.00 for 40 acres in the South East fourth of the North east quarter of Section 24 in Township 39 north of range 2 West in the County of Washington State of Missouri.

1870 Federal Census age 48

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 6, house 95, family 95

PRATT, James w m 46; Catherine w f 46; Sarah F. w f 18; Renard A. w m 13; Nancy w f 4

[All born in Tennessee (*sic*). Living next door to son, Jacob Henry & Sarah Elizabeth "Lizzie" (**PINSON**) Pratt. James is a farmer.]

1874 Written Will of James Pratt

Washington County Missouri Probate Will Book, page 805, 22 June 1874

Will and Testament: Know all men by these presents greetings that the undersigned testator believing myself in sound mind and of lawful age do this day make my last will and testament in view of the uncertainty of life. And wishing to settle my own estate I do hereby appoint my son Jacob Henry Pratt the executor of this will. And to my faithful and beloved wife Catherine I will and bequeath the one third of my real estate during her natural lifetime and the use of the entire farm untill my daughter Nancy Young Pratt is eighteen years old, for the support of minor heirs and also my household and kitchen furniture, my wagon, harrow and plows and wagon harness and provisions, for the support of herself and family for a year and a half. And further more I bequeath to my wife my bay mare, called Blaze & sucking colt, and a two year old mule called Beets. With also two milch cows called Pied & Mott and there two sucking calves, and a three year old hieffer, Lill, and all my stock of hogs, be they many or few. I further more will that my children all share equal in my real estate when Nancy Young Pratt is eighteen years old. That is the undivided two thirds of my land and equal in the bequest to my wife at her death. I also bequeath to Jacob Henry Pratt one mare called Lize which he has received, and to Sarah Francis Pratt I bequeath a horse called George which she has already recieved, and to Rinard Pratt I bequeath a mule called Jennie which he is to use on the farm until he is of lawful age, when the mule will be his by this will, and to Nancy Young Pratt I bequeath a horse worth seventy five dollars or seventy five dollars when she is eighteen years old. And further I will that the remainder of my personal estate if there be any at the time of my death used for the payment of my just debts if there be any, or a sufficient for their payment and the remainder if there is any to be divided equally among my children I will that the legal expenses of this will be paid from the sale of any surplus of grains or other available means not disposed of in this will and testament. Made and executed on this 22nd day of June 1874. James Pratt
We attest the above and forgoing will by subscribing our names here unto as witnesses in the presence of James Pratt the testator, this the 22nd day of June 1874. Rinard Kimberlin, Reuben Harmon"

1874 Death of James Pratt

James Pratt died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25

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June 1874. Date from headstone.

1874 Burial of James Pratt

Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

Pratt, James 30 September 1822-25 June 1874

[I saw this headstone in 1976 and thereafter. It was in good condition.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

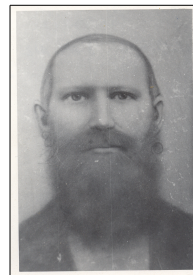
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James Pratt Birth: Sep. 30, 1882 Death: Jun. 25, 1975 Burial: Anthonies Mill Cemetery Johnson Township, Washington County Missouri, USA

2008 James Pratt's Barn

Where the White Creek Cemetery is across the road from the Kimberlin Cemetery or aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery across the creek was an old board plank barn made of oak planks and beams. When I first began my research in 1976 into the Pratt family I was told by the local residents, the old barn belonged to the James Pratt family who lived on that side of the creek. Now, it is 2008 and I don't know if that old barn is still standing or not. But it was a two story building and must have been sturdy to withstand 100 years of Missouri weather.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

Catherine next married **Alexander A. Blanton Sr.**, son of **Abraham Absalom Blanton** and **Cynthia Ann (PRATT)**, 17 October 1875 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. Alexander was born 7 September 1828 in Greene County, Tennessee, United States, died 3 April 1882 in Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 53, and was buried in April 1882 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States. They had no children.



Alexander A. Blanton Sr...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

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1828 Birthblock of Alexander A. Blanton son of Absalom & Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 7 September 1828.

Date from 1830 census states he was born in ?? [family not found in census]

Date from 1840 census states he was born in ?? [family not found in census]

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1828 in Tennessee.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1827 in Tennessee.

Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1828 in Tennessee.

Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1830 in Tennessee.

Date from headstone states his birth as September 7, 1829.

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Date from family bible states he was born November 11, 1830.
Therefore his birth is from 1827-1830.

1830 Federal Census age 1

Could not find him or his parents in the 1830 census. However, strong evidence suggests he was with his parents in Greene, Tennessee, United States. Since his father was buying sheep in 1830 in Greene County, Tennessee, this would indicate they were still living in that county during the 1830 census.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Alexander's brother; Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents; Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton, brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This would indicate all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. Not sure if the obituary is true. Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin County, Missouri in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1832-1838 Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri then to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1832-1838.

1840 Federal Census age 11

Once again Absalom managed to elude the censustakers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the census of 1830 and 1840. I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Therefore I think they were still living near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri when the 1840 census was taken. For a complete report read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" by Floyd Thomas Pratt

1840-1849 Family Move

Moved with his parents from Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States. His father built a large mansion and developed some property in 1849 called Blanton Hollow. Alexander was 19 years old at this time and had met, widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt's family when they lived in Johnson Twp, Washington County and moved to Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri after the death of Henry Pratt. Alexander started courting widow Pratt's 18 year-old daughter, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).

1849 Marriage of Alexander A. Blanton and Nancy Mariah (PRATT)

Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "A", Page 176

Alexander Stanton and Nancy M. Pratt both of Crawford County were married on 14 October 1849.

Research Note

Misspelled name in marriage record as Alexander Stanton and Nancy M. Pratt BOTTO. The Botto is from the next two words of the marriage license which states "**both of** Crawford County". Most likely she was married at her mother's residence next door to her sister; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel's home in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. After the death of Henry Pratt, their father, it appears that widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from the Richwoods area in Washington County closer to Susanna near the Hansel home in Boone Twp,

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Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1850 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON)

Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON) was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 September 1850. However, the 1850 census states she was 1 month old on 30 October 1850. This would make her birth in September 1850.

1850 Federal Census age 21

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 19, house 956, family 956

BLANTON, Alexandrew w m 22; Mariah w f 20; Catherine w f 1 month born in September [All born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to John & Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen family, Absalom & Cynthia (PRATT) Blanton family, his parents. Notice how the censustaker wrote his name as Alexandrew Blanton. I wonder if the middle initial A. stands for Andrew?]

1854 Childbirth of son; Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Alexander A. Blanton Jr. was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 31 May 1854.

1854 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "D" page 469, 2 August 1854

Alexander Blanton sold to Drewry Skaggs SW¼-NW¼ Section 36, Township 40 North, Range 2 West

[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

1856 Childbirth of son; Absalom B. Blanton

Absalom B. Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 2 April 1856.

1858 Childbirth of son; Augustus "Gus" Blanton

Augustus "Gus" Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United State or near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 2 March 1858.

1860 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON)

Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 31

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

BLANTON, Alexander w m 33; Nancy M. w f 30; Catherine J. w f 10; Alexander w m 6; [page 871] Absalom w m 4; Augustus w m 2; Nancy w f 7/12

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next doot to John & Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt family.]

1860 Property Transaction

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", p534, 12 November 1860

Alexander Blanton sold to James F. Garland SW¼-NW¼ of Section 36, Township 40 north, Range 2 west

[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

1862 Childbirth of daughter; Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON)

Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 8 January 1862.

1863 Childbirth of daughter; Louisa (BLANTON)

Louisa (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 11 March 1863.

1864 Military Physical

Between 1860-1875 Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men to see if they were fit for service or for pension applications. These reports were recorded in his ledger now known as "The John B. Bell Papers", and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri at Rolla, MO., in the manuscript department. The physicals took place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Alexander Blanton age 37-
Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

1866 Childbirth of daughter; Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1866.

1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Sarah F. (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

18?? Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamilton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

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1870 Federal Census age 41

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

1870 Childbirth of son: Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

1872 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of spouse; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 51

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 23 June 1880, line 6, house 204, family 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

[1] Date from headstone states he died April 3, 1882.

[2] Date from family bible states he died April 29, 1888.

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1882 or 1888 Burial of Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Blanton, Alexander Sept. 7, 1829- April 3, 1882 age 53yrs 5mos 4days

Blanton, Nancy M. wife of Alex Blanton July 10, 1830-January 27, 1873 age 42yrs 6mos 17days

[Using the birth date, his death calculates out to be 11 February 1883. Using the death date his birth calculates out to be 30 Oct 1828. So we don't know when he was born or when he really died. Checking the local newspapers might reveal the truth.]

Find A Grave Memorial# 133302125 Created by: Floyd Thomas Pratt, F.H.... Record added: Jul 25, 2014

Alexander A. Blanton, Sr Birth: Sep. 7, 1828 Greene County Tennessee, USA Death: Apr. 3, 1882 Crawford County Missouri, USA Family links: Spouse: Nancy M Blanton (1830 - 1873) Burial: Blanton Cemetery Washington County Missouri, USA

Research Note...Memorial No Longer Exists

My above FAG entry no longer exists as it is written here. When I created the entry I always gave a full Cradle to Grave Profile for the memorial. I removed my original entry due to unethical practices by the Find A Grave administration. Read my 2nd report, "**Why I STILL can no longer support www.findagrave.com**" for details. Due to their unscrupulous practices, I have severed my relationship with the Find A Grave organization. I have asked them to remove all memorials, flowers and any references relating or mentioning my account. I have had an uneasy relationship with their administration for the last 5 years and in my opinion, they have lost faith with the public and violated the public trust. I continue to list various Find A Grave memorials in my publications strictly to affix the burial locations in my reports. Most memorial data on Find A Grave is in conflict with the facts and should not be accepted without research validation. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton:

Births from Family Bible

Blanton, Alexander was born Nov 11, 1830

children:

Blanton, Catherine J. born July 28, 1850

Blanton, Alexander, Jr. born May 31, 1854

Blanton, Absalom born April 2, 1856

Blanton, Augustus born March 2, 1858

Blanton, Nancy M. born Nov 11, 1859

Blanton, Isabel born Jan 8, 1862

Blanton, Louisa born Mar 11, 1864

Blanton, Susan born June 19, 1866

Blanton, Sarah F. born Jan 15, 1869

Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

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William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

- 16 M ii. **Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin** was born 6 March 1831 in Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died 13 January 1913 in Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried 14 January 1913 in Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

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1831 Birthblock for Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin son of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin was born in Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 March 1831.

Date from 1840 census states he was born 1830-1835.

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1831 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1832 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1831 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1832 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states he was born March 1831 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states he was born in 1833 in Missouri.

Date from headstone calculates to 6 March 1831.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 6 March 1831 in Washington County, Missouri.

1832 Childbirth of sister; Vernetta (KIMBERLING)

Vernetta (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1832.

1835 Childbirth of brother; Michael L. Kimberling

Michael Kimberling was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

1835 Childbirth of sister; Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown sister (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri,

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United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of sister; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother.

After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 9

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]
; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]
[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered

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by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri

Acres: 78.96 Accession Number: MO0720__124 Metes and Bounds: No Land

Office: St. Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No

Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948

Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM

Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM

Counties Washington North East $\frac{1}{4}$ of the North West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of brother; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two

west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundreds of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Renard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 February 1848 State of Record: Missouri

Acres: 40 Accession Number: MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St.

Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24,

1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 15803 Legal Land

Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington

the South East $\frac{1}{4}$ of the South West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler,

for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North

West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty

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acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 19

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m 19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9 [Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1853 Marriage of Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin and Deliah (HARPER)

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 122
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Mary Emma (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 November 1853.

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Minerva Elizabeth (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 February 1857.

1859 Childbirth of daughter; Phoebe "Feby" Frances (KIMBERLIN)

Phoebe "Feby" Frances (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 March 1859.

1860 Federal Census age 29

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 37, house 890, family 880

KIMBERLIN, Jacob w m 28; Delila w f 25; Mary E. w f 6; Charles w m 5; [page 132] Manerva w f 2; Phebe w f 1

[All born in Missouri except Deliah born in Ohio. Jacob is a farmer. Living next door to Rueban & Vermetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon.]

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1865 Childbirth of son; John Andrew Kimberlin

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

John Andrew Kimberlin was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 30 September 1865.

1867 Childbirth of son; William Henry Kimberlin

William Henry Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 February 1867.

1870 Federal Census age 39

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97a, 16 August 1870, line 34, house 93, family 93

KIMBERLIN, Jacob w m 39; Delila w f 36; Mary C. w f 16; Charles w m 15; Manerva w f 13; Phebe w f 11; Anna J. w f 10; John w m 5; William w m 2
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1873 Childbirth of daughter; Julia F. (KIMBERLIN)

Julia F. (KIMBERLIN) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 29 December 1873.

1878 Birthblock of son; Orville Kimberlin

Orville Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 10 November 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 49

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 87b, 15 June 1880, line 5, house 118, family 123

KIMBERLIN, Jacob head w m 48; Delilah wife w f 46; Charles F. son w m 24; John son w m 15; William sson w m 13; Benjamin E. son w m 10; Julia dau w f 7; Arvil son w m 1

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1886-1900 Death of parents; Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after a deed record in 1886 and before the 1900 census.

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1900 Federal Census age 69

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 184b, 11 June 1900, line 100, house 85, family 87

KIMBERLIN, Jacob head w m born March 1831 age 69; [page 185a] Delila wife w f born June 1857 age 65; Orville son w m born November 1878 age 21; Sadie dnlw w f born December 1878 age 21; Hollie G. gdau w f born November 1899 age 6 [should be 6mos]

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1910 Federal Census age 79

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 234a, 9 May 1910, line 5, house 192, family 203

KIMBERLIN, Orvill head w m 31; Sadie I. wife w f 31; Halley G. dau w f 10; Alma A. dau w f 8; Ernest F. son w m 5; John L. son w m 10.12; [family 204] **Jacob head w m 77**; Delila wife w f 74

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1913 Death of Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin

Jacob Kimberlin died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 14 January 1913.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics death certiiate # 3972.

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Jacob Kimberlin January 13, 1913 Washington 3972

Jacob Kimberlin white married male born 6 March 1831 in Washington County, Missouri to Rhinard Kimberlin born in [blank] and Francis Peters born in [blank]. Jacob was a farmer. He died on 13 January 1913 at Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri and was buried on 14 January 1913 at Anthonies Cemetery aka Kimberlin Cemtery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. The informant was B. E. Kimberlin, Algire, Missouri.

1913 Burial of Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin

Kimberlin Cemtery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

Kimberlin, Jacob January 13, 1913, 81y 10m 7d.

Kimberlin, Delilah June 27 1834-May 22, 1920 85y 10m 25d

[Jacob's birthdate calculates out to 6 March 1831]

1978 Family Compilation by Ted R. McVay

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Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

21, 22, & 23, 1978. Information on the family provided by those visited. Much of the credit to Alma Summers and her keen memory.

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1. Mary Emma; 2. Charles Franklin; 3. Phoebe Frances, married Eli Hulsey, Phoebe died young leaving a large family; 4. Minerva, married Luther Crow; 5. Annie Jane, married Benjamin Franklin Pinson a double wedding with sister Minerva; 6. William Henry; 7. Rhinard, died in infancy; 8. John, killed at age 21 when thrown from horse; 9. Benjamin Edward, made Cherokee Strip run in Oklahoma with Benjamin Pinson in 1893. Staked his claim just north of Blackwell. Lost first wife in childbirth. Returned to rural area around Sullivan, Washington Co., married Dora Northcutt; 10. Julia married Will Harmon, no family. Lived in Skiatook, Oklahoma for a time; 11. Orville

"Children of Benjamin Edward Kimberlin & first wife Nancy Jackson"

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"Children of Benjamin Edward Kimberlin & second wife Dora Northcutt"

3. Ethel Shaffer, Sullivan, MO.; 4. Myrtle Alice, died at 18 months.

"Children of William Henry Kimberlin & Susie Jackson, sister of Nancy"

1. Walter, deceased.; 2. Elba Kimberlin Litton, lives in California.; 3. Oscar, deceased.; 4. Benjamin, deceased.; 5. Gladys Kimberlin Merkel; 6. Scott (Henry) deceased.; 7. Catherine Kimberlin Erni.

"Children of Orville Kimberlin & Sadie Summers"

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Eugene Kimberlin, deceased was a son of Charles Kimberlin, Clyde Kimberlin. son of Eugene, Bourbon, MO. married Hazel Dace. Tracy Kimberlin, son of Clyde lives in Sullivan Area.

[I have included this information even though there are errors however serious research has corrected these. Floyd Thomas Pratt]

Jacob married **Delilah (HARPER)**, daughter of **Johan Jacob Harper Jr.** and **Phoebe (HARMON)**, 27 January 1853 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Delilah was born 27 June 1834 in Fayette County, Ohio, United States, died 20 May 1920 near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 85, and was buried in May 1920 in Kimberlin Cemetery aka Anthonies Mill Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Township, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Delilah (HARPER)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

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1834 Birthblock for Delilah (HARPER) daughter of Johan Jacob Jr. & Pheobe (HARMON) Harper

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Delilah (**HARPER**) was born in Fayette, Ohio, United States on 27 June 1834.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1833.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1833 in Ohio.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1835 in Ohio.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1834 in Ohio.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1834 in Ohio.

Date from 1900 census states she was born June 1834 in Ohio.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1836 in Ohio.

Date from 1920 census states she was born 1835 in Ohio.

Date from headstone states she was born 27 June 1834.

1839 Childbirth of sister; Eliza Jane (HARPER)

Eliza Jane (**HARPER**) was born in Fayette, Ohio, United States on 1839.

1839-1840 Family Move

From Fayette, Ohio, United States to Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States from 1839 to 1840.

1840 Federal Census age 7

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 171

HARPER, Jacob 0-0-1-2-1-0-0-1 1-1-1-1-1-0-1

free white males 10-14 [John age 10]; 15-19 [Isaac age 15]; 15-19 [Noah age 20]; 20-29 [?]; 50-59 [Jacob age 60]

free white females 4 & under [Eliza age 1]; 5-9 [Delilah age 7]; 10-14 [Christina age 13]; 15-19 ??; 20-29 ??; 40-49 [Phoebe age 50]

1845 Childbirth of brother; William Harper

William Harper was born in Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1845.

1847 Childbirth of sister; Margaret J. (HARPER)

Margaret J. (**HARPER**) was born in Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1847.

1847 Death of father; Johan Jacob Harper Jr.

Johan Jacob Harper Jr. died in either Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or Fayette, Ohio, United States on 20 November 1847.

Date on the headstone states he died 20 November 1847 aged 58yrs 4mos. This calculates out to a birthdate of July 1789.

Research Note

According to his headstone where he was buried in Sugar Creek Baptist Church Cemetery, Washington Court House, Fayette, Ohio, United States the date is very clear. Maybe he went back to Ohio for a visit and died on location. Maybe he requested that his body be buried in that cemetery when he died. Obtaining the newspapers for that time period would reveal when he died and where he died. Nevertheless, his wife and children remained in Missouri after his death.

1848 Childbirth of brother; John Harper

John Harper was born in Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1848.

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1848-1850 Family Move

From Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1850 Federal Census age 17

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 158-159, 31 October 1850, house 982,

SMITH, William w m 45; Ann w f 46; John W. w m 22; Susan E. w f 20; William C. w m 18;

HARPER, Delia w f 17; **DRACE**, Henry w m 14; **HARPER**, Eliza w f 10;

BOUCHE, Phebe J., w f 5

[William, Ann, John W., Susan E., William C. were born in North Carolina, the rest born in Ohio. William is a farmer.]

Research Note

When I first began my research back in 1975, several Kimberlin and Harmon researchers were confused as to Delilah's maiden name. They thought she was a Harmon not a Harper. If they had researched the census records they would have found the 1850 census that settles the question once and for all. Obviously, her father had passed away between the 1840 census to the 1850 census dates, her mother died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 18 May 1859. On Pages 80-84, of the book "**History of Forest Hill and Vicinity**" by John Steele McCormick © 1970 Delilah is listed incorrectly as a Harmon.

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Phoebe "Feby" Frances (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 March 1859.

1859 Death of mother; Phoebe (HARMON) Harper

Phoebe (**HARMON**) Harper died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 18 May 1859.

Date from "**History of Forest Hills and Vicinity**", 18 May 1859.

Date from headstone states she died 18 May 1859.

Birthdate calculates out to 9 November 1789.

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1860 Federal Census age 27

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 37, house 890, family 880

KIMBERLIN, Jacob w m 28; Delila w f 25; Mary E. w f 6; Charles w m 5; [page 132]

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1880 Federal Census age 47

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 87b, 15 June 1880, line 5, house 118, family 123

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1910 Federal Census age 77

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 234a, 9 May 1910, line 5, house 192, family 203

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1913 Death of spouse; Jacob "Jake" Kimberlin

Jacob Kimberlin died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 14 January 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 87

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 221b, 6 January 1920, house 31,
KIMBERLIN, Orville head w m 41; Sadie I. wife w f 41; Hallie G. dau w f 20; Alma A. dau w f 17; Ernest F. son w m 15; John L. son w m 10; Rush C. son w m 8; Morris son w m 5; Fern V. dau w f 2yrs 4mos; Delila mother w f 85
[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Delila was born in Ohio and her parents were born in Virginia. Delila is a widow. Orville is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1920 Death of Delilah (HARPER) Kimberlin

Delilah (**HARPER**) Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 22 May 1920.

Date from headstone states she died May 22, 1920.

[no death certificate found]

1920 Burial of Delilah (HARPER) Kimberlin

Anthonies Cemetery aka Kimberlin Cemtery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington,

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Missouri, United States

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Find A Grave Memorial# 107876840 Created by: Beals Record added: Apr 05, 2013

Delilah Harper Kimberlin Birth: Jun. 26, 1834 Death: May 22, 1920 Daughter of John Jacob Harper and Phoebe Harman Harper. She married Jacob Kimberlin. Family links: Spouse: Jacob Kimberlin (1831 - 1913) Burial: Anthonies Mill Cemetery Johnson Township Washington County Missouri, USA

- 17 F iii. **Vermetta (KIMBERLIN)** was born 19 June 1832 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, died 1 May 1890 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 57, and was buried in May 1890 in Washington

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

County, Missouri, United States.

Vermetta (KIMBERLIN)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2010

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1832 Birthblock for Vermetta (KIMBERLIN) daughter of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Vermetta (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1832.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1830-1835.

Date from 1850 census states she was born in 1832 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born in 1834 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states she was born in 1832 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born in 1832 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1835 Childbirth of brother; Michael L. Kimberling

Michael Kimberling was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

1835 Childbirth of sister; Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown sister (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of sister; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother.

After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 8

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri

Acres: 78.96 Accession Number: MO0720__ .124 Metes and Bounds: No Land

Office: St. Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No

Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington North East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of brother; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundreds of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:15803 Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington

the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848 Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 18

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m 19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9 [Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

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1853 Marriage of Reuben Harmon and Vermetta (KIMBERLIN)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 121 FHL # 915360

Mr. Reuben Harmon & Miss Hernetta Kimberling both of lawful age; married on 13 January 1853 by A. C. Shook, JP at Washington Co., Mo.; the hand written index has Reuben Harman & H. Kimberlin

1854 Childbirth of daughter; Julia Frances (HARMON)

Julia Frances (HARMON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on March 1854.

1856 Childbirth of daughter; Leona Catherine (HARMON)

Leona Catherine (HARMON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on July 1856.

1859 Childbirth of son; John Columbus Harmon

John Columbus Harmon was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 October 1859.

1860 Federal Census age 28

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 32, house 889, family 879

HARMON, Reuben w m 28; Vermetta w f 26; Julia w f 6; Leona w f 4; John w m 8.12

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1861 Childbirth of son; Joseph P. Harmon

Joseph P. Harmon was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 12 November 1861.

1863 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Young (HARMON)

Mary Young (HARMON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 19 September 1863.

1864 Husband's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men for pension applications in Potosi, MO. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri in the manuscript room at Rolla, MO. "Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. April 11, 1864 #222 RUBEN HARMON age 32- Diagnosis: Atrophy of the muscle of the right leg & anchylosis of ankle.

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1866 Childbirth of Benjamin Franklin Harmon

Benjamin Franklin Harmon was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp,

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Washington, Missouri, United States on 12 April 1866.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Margaret "Maggie" Christina (HARMON)

Margaret "Maggie" Christina (**HARMON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on July 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 38

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 13, house 97, family 97

HARMON, Reubin w m 38; Vemetta w f 38; Julia w f 16; Leona w f 14; John w m 11; Joseph w m 9; Mary w f 9; Benjamin w m 5; Christina w f 2

[Reuben born in Ohio the rest in Missouri. Reuban is a farmer. Living next door to James & Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family, Jacob & Sarah (**PINSON**) Pratt family.]

1880 Federal Census age 48

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 87a, 14 June 1880, line 38, house 116, family 121

HARMON, Reubin head w m 47; Burnetta wife w f 48; Leonia C. dau w f 24; John C. son w m 20; Joseph P. son w m 18; Mary Y. dau w f 16; Benjamin F. son w m 13; Magay C. dau w f 11

[Reubin born in Ohio his parents born in Virginia, Vernetta born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia, the rest born in Missouri as was their mother, their father born in Ohio. Reuben is a farmer.]

1886-1900 Death of parents; Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after a deed record in 1886 and before the 1900 census.

1890 Death of Vermetta (KIMBERLIN) Harmon

Vernetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1 May 1890.

Date of May 1, 1890 from "**Forest Hills and Vicinity**", by John Steele McCormick published 1970, Page 85.

1890 Burial of Vermetta (KIMBERLIN) Harmon

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Vermetta married **Reuben Harmon**, son of **Jonas M. Harmon Sr** and **Catherine (WOLFORD)**, 13 January 1853 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Reuben was born 5 August 1832 in Clark, Coshocton County, Ohio, United States, died in March 1903 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried in March 1903 in Washington County, Missouri, United States.

Reuban Harmon...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2010

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1832 Birthblock for Reuban Harmon son of Jonas M. Sr. & Catherine (WOLFORD) Harmon

Reuban Harmon was born in Clark, Coshocton County, Ohio, United States on 5 August 1832.

Date from the 1840 census states he was born 1831-1835.

Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1833 in Virginia.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1832 in Ohio.

Date from the 1864 military exam states he was born 1832.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1832 in Ohio.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1833 in Ohio.

Date from the 1890 Veteran's census states he was born

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1832 in Virginia.

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1830-1832 Family Move

From Randolph, Virginia, United States to Ohio, United States.

Son, Reuban born 1832 in Ohio, daughter; Ellenore "Ellen" born 1834 in Ohio.

1835-1840 Family Move

From Ohio, United States to Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

1840 Federal Census age 8

Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 173, line 21

HARMAN, Jonos 0-1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-0-0-2-0-0-1

free white males 5-9 [Reuban age 8]; 10-14 [Jacob Isaac age 13]; 15-19 [John W. age 19];

50-59 [Jonas age 53]

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free white females 4 & under [Ellen age 5]; 15-19 [Eliza age 15]; 15-19 [Phoebe age 17]; 40-49 [Catherine (**WOLFORD**) age 43]

1840-1850 Family Move

From Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States to Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States

1850 Federal Census age 18

Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 158b, 31 October 1850, line 19, house 978, family 978

HARMON, Jonas w m 63; Catherine w f 53; Reuban w m 17; Ellen w f 15; Christina w f 8

[All born in Virginia. Jonas is a wagon maker.]

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1854 Childbirth of daughter; Julia Frances (HARMON)

Julia Frances (**HARMON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on March 1854.

1856 Death of mother; Catherine (WOLFORD) Harmon

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1890 Death of spouse; Vernetta (KIMBERLIN) Harmon

Vernetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon died in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 1 May 1890.

1892 Marriage of Reuben Harmon and widow; Mrs. Mary Emeline "Emma" (SUMMERS) Bouse daughter of William Henderson and Marinda Ann (PINSON) Summers

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[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "2", page 195
Reuben Harmon of Johnson Twp., Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Mrs. Mary E. Bouse of Liberty Twp., Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 2 December 1892 license; married on 4 December 1892 by M. A. Clayton, MG at Residence of Bride, Washington Co.

1900 Federal Census age 68

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 185b, 12 June 1900, line 74, house 98, family 100

HARMON, Ruben head w m born August 1832 age 67; Mary E. wife w f born November 1848 age 51; Albert R. son w m born October 1879 age 20; Ada dau w f born December 1877 age 22; Arther son w m born November 1880 age 19; **RICKNER**, Charles boarder w m born September 1878 age 21; Gray boarder w m born May 1886 age 14; **SMITH**, Bessie servant w f born February 1884 age 16

[Ruben born in Virginia as was his parents, all the rest born in Missouri as was their parents, except Mary's father was born in Kentucky. They have been married for 6 years. Mary says she has had 8 children born and 6 are living. Living next door to daughter; John & Mary Y.[Young] (**HARMON**) Summers family.]

Research Note

Should be noted that Albert, Ada, Arther are Bouse children from Mary's first marriage to John Andrew Bouse.

1903 Death of Reuben Harmon

Rueben Harmon died in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States in May 1903.

[1] Date of May 1903 from "**Forest Hills and Vicinity**" by John Steele McCormick.

[2] Internet says 14 April 1903.

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- 18 F iv. **Daughter (KIMBERLIN)** was born in 1835-1840 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States and died in 1840-1850 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 5.

She is in the 1840 census as being born 1835-1840. She does not show up in the 1850 census, therefore she died between 1840-1850 in Washington County, Missouri.

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- 19 F v. **Mary (KIMBERLIN)** was born in 1835 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, died in 1876-1880 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 41, and was buried in 1876-1880 in probably Hamilton Hollow Cemetery, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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1835-1837 Birthblock for Mary (KIMBERLIN) daughter of Rinard E. & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835-1836.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1835-1840.

Date from 1850 census states she was born in 1835 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born in 1837 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states she was born in 1835 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

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Research Note

Since her brother Michael is listed as age 16 in the 1850 census and Mary as age 15 then Michael would have been born in 1834 and Mary in 1835. In the 1840 census Michael is in the 5-9 range which would put his birth at 1841 to 1835 and Mary is in the 4 & under range which would put her birth in the 1836 to 1840 range. Therefore, Michael was born 1834 and Mary was born 1835-1836.

1830-1840 Family Move

From Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Depends on when they moved. We cannot determine in what township the children were born.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown sister (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of sister; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri,

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United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother.

After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 4-5

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; **4 & under [Mary age 5]**; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Acres:78.96 Accession Number:MO0720__124 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:9948 Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington North East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundreths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of brother; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (KIMBERLING) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundreds of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri

Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:15803 Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington

the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 14-15

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; _Jacob w m

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19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9 [Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1856 Prospective Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", Page 580, 22 May 1856
NE¼ SE¼ S18 T39 R1W

"This deed made and entered this Twenty Second of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty- six between William Hughes and Martha Hughes his wife of the first part and Alexander Pratt of the second part all of the County of Crawford and State of Missouri witness to: That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of eighty dollars to them in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell and convey free from or and our heirs and representatives and the claim or claims of every person or persons whosoever to him the said Alexander Pratt his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of parcel of land lying and being in County of Washington and State of Missouri as follows to wit: The North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section No. eighteen in Township No. Thirty -nine of Range No. One West containing forty acres. Now know ye that for and in consideration of the sum of paid us as above specified we have conveyed the said land to Alexander Pratt with all and singular the privilege, appertenance an hereditaments of whatever nature there belonging or in any wise appertaining. To have and to hold the same free from us our heirs, representatives, and assigns to him the said Alexander Pratt his heirs, representatives and assigns forever. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this day and date first above written.

Attest: J. M. Anthony William Hughes Martha Hughes"

[It should be noted that because Rinard Kimberlin sold some land to James Pratt who had married his daughter Catherine, this paved the way for Alexander to be able to buy land. It was law that Indians were not allowed to own or exchange property. Even though Alexander and James were only ½ Cherokee this still presented a problem. also I imagine that Rinard would not let Alexander marry his daughter, Mary unless he showed evidence that he was and could settle down. After Alex bought this land on 22 May 1856, a little over a month later Rinard agreed to Alex and Mary's marriage on 28 June 1856. This property was located near White's Creek and close to Alexander's brother; James & Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1856 Marriage of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt and Mary (KIMBERLIN)

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 181

"State of Missouri Washington County this is to certify that I did solemnize the rite of matrimony between Elexander Prat (sic) and Mary Cimberland (sic) June the 28th 1856. V. S. Carter an ordained minister of the Methodist E Church South. Filed Aug 25th, 1856. W. A. Mathews Recorder."

1857 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Ellen (PRATT)

Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) was born 27 November 1857 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1859 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "K", page 494, 18 March 1859
NE¼ SW¼ S18 T39 R1W

"This deed made and entered into this 18th day of March 1859 Eighteen hundred and fifty nine between Alexander R. Pratt and Mary Pratt his wife of the first part and Ambrose Marion Pennock of the second part witness that the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to them in hand paid by said party of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do by these presents bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever the following described tract of land in the County of Washington and state of Missouri to wit, The North East quarter of south west quarter of section No. eighteen in township No. thirty -nine of range No. one west containing forty acres to have and to hold unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever. In testimony whereof of the said party of the first part have hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first aforesaid. Alexander (X) R. Pratt and Mary(X) Pratt

[It appears that after 3 short years the property almost doubled in value. Why they choose to move and leave is unknown. Rinard and Frances were still alive and according to the 1860 census Alex stayed in the area. Cherokees were not farmers so farming probably did not appeal to Alexander.]

1860 Childbirth of son; Michael Pratt

Michael Pratt was born June 1860 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1860 Federal Census age 24-25

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 130, 26 July 1860, line 23; house 879, family 879

PRATTE, Alex w m 24; Mary w f 23; Mary w f 2; Michael w m 1/12

[Alex born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Alex and Mary could not read and write. Even though Alex is listed as a farmer, where he was living did not present a good farming area. Too many rocky hills to farm.]

1860-1870 Death of son; Michael Pratt

Sometime between the date of the 1860 census of 26 July 1860 and the 1870 census Michael Pratt died near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1861 Childbirth of son; Stonewall Jackson Pratt

Stonewall Jackson Pratt was born 16 September 1861 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1864 Husband's Military Medical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals for pension applications in Potosi, Mo. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the library at the University Of Missouri in the manuscript room at Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States.

*"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864
#57 Alex Pratt age 19 Diagnosis: Tuberculosis & debility."*

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[These medicals took place at Potosi, Washington, Missouri. Debility is weakness caused by long sickness. Alex is listed next to his brother John. Unknown why his age was given as 19. Apparently the Union Army was having trouble raising enough able-bodied men to fight or he was already in the war and was discharged due to medical condition. Since I can not find any Pratt's fighting in the Civil War for the white man, then probably this was all a ruse to avoid the civil war conflict.]

1865 Childbirth of daughter; Frances "Fannie" Minerva (PRATT)

Frances "Fannie" Minerva (PRATT) was born 6 June 1865 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Paulina Perlina "Lina" (PRATT)

Paulina Perlina "Lina" (PRATT) was born 9 May 1868 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of son; Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt

Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt was born 6 September 1869 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 34-35

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98a, 16 August 1870, line 31, house 106, family 106

PRATT, Alexander w m 37; Mary w f 35; Mary w f 13; Jackson w m 8; Fannie w f 4; Pelina w f 2; Winslow w m 8mos born in September

[All born in Missouri except Alexander born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Alex, Mary and daughter Mary could not read and write. Winslow was born in September. Living in close proximity to the John Record family and the Kimberlins.]

1872 Death of step-father-in-law; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton's second husband died on March 4, 1872 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and business man with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1873 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt

Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt was born March 1873 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1873 Husband's Property Transaction

Hempstead County, Arkansas Warranty Deed, 3 July 1873 1/8 NE¼ SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

James Blanton and wife Nancy H. Blanton sell forty acres of land in Washington County, Missouri to Alexander R. Pratt for sixty dollars, To wit: undivided 1/8 of the north east quarter of the south west quarter of section no. 30 township no. 40 range no. 1 west of the fifth principal meridian. 1/8 NE¼ SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

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[This was part of Absalom Blanton's estate inheritance divided among his children after he died on 4 March 1872. Alexander bought out the Blanton descendants.]

1873 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "V", page 1-3, 4 October 1873

Heirs of Absalom Blanton deed to Alexander Pratt

Participants; Elbert S. Blanton and wife, Mary E. Blanton; John Allen and wife Elizabeth Allen; John E. Pratt and wife Caroline Pratt; John Blanton and wife, Margaret S. Blanton; William W. Blanton and wife, Mary A. Blanton; Alexander Blanton; Henry H. Blanton and wife, Matilda J. Blanton.

Alexander R. Pratt paid them fifty dollars each for 40 acres in Washington Co., MO.

To wit: One undivided eight 1/8 of the north half of section no. one of the south west quarter of section no. 30 in township no. 40 of range one west. 1/8 N½ S1 SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

1875 Death of mother-in-law: Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton died on 17 November 1875 at Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States according to the 14 January 1876 Administrator's Bond in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1876 Husband's Administrator's Bond for Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Washington County, Missouri, Administrator's Bond 14 January 1876

Affidavit: State of Missouri; County of Washington

Alexander R. Pratt, administrator of the estate of Nancy Blanton, deceased, being duly sworn, says that the said Nancy Blanton died intestate, and without leaving any will, at Washington County, Missouri Nov 17th A.D. 1875 leaving as her heirs Alex R. Pratt, Jane Blanton wife of Henry Blanton, Sarah A. Blanton wife of Jno. A. Blanton, Mary Blanton wife of Alfred Blanton & Jacob H., Fanny, R. A. & Nancy Pratt children of Jas. Pratt decd living in Washington County, Missouri and Catherine, Alexander, Absalom, Augustus, Queen, Isabella, Susan, Benjamin, Sarah, and Louisa Blanton children of Alex & nancy M. Blanton and Susan Hansell residing in Crawford County, Missouri, and Lorinda Hull wife of Ira Hull residing in Laclede County, Missouri. And that he will make a perfect inventory of, and faithfully administer all the estate of the said Nancy Blanton, and pay the debts as far as the assets will extend and the law direct, and account for and pay all assets which shall come to his possession or knowledge. Alexander R. Pratt, X his mark

1876 Childbirth of daughter: Minnie (PRATT)

Minnie (PRATT) was born 8 November 1876 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1876-1880 Death of Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States probably after giving birth to daughter, Minnie (PRATT) in 1876.

1876-1880 Burial of Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Hamilton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United

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States. [no headstone found] Since they were living in a log cabin Henry Pratt built back in the 1840's on the ridge above Pratt Cave, then it is most likely she is buried in Hamilton Hollow Cemetery.

Find A Grave Memorial# 134347779 Created by: Floyd Thomas Pratt, F.H....Record added: Aug 14, 2014

Mary KimberlinPratt Birth: 1835 Washington County Missouri, USA Death: 1876 Washington County Missouri, USA Burial: Hamilton Hollow Cemetery Washington County Missouri, USA

Research Note...Memorial No Longer Exists

My above FAG entry no longer exists as it is written here. When I created the entry I always gave a full Cradle to Grave Profile for the memorial. I removed my original entry due to unethical practices by the Find A Grave administration. Read my 2nd report, "**Why I STILL can no longer support www.findagrave.com**" for details. Due to their unscrupulous practices, I have severed my relationship with the Find A Grave organization. I have asked them to remove all memorials, flowers and any references relating or mentioning my account. I have had an uneasy relationship with their administration for the last 5 years and in my opinion, they have lost faith with the public and violated the public trust. I continue to list various Find A Grave memorials in my publications strictly to affix the burial locations in my reports. Most memorial data on Find A Grave is in conflict with the facts and should not be accepted without research validation. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2015

Mary married **Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt**, son of **Henry Pratt** and **Nancy (CARTER)**, 28 June 1856 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Alexander was born in March 1831 in Monroe County, Tennessee, United States, died in 1912 near Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in 1912 in Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Osage Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.



Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

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1831 Birthblock for Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt son of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in March 1831. [My 2ndggfather]

The 1840 census states he was born in 1830-1835.

The 1850 census states he was born in 1832 in Tennessee.

The 1860 census states he was born in 1836 in Tennessee.

The 1870 census states he was born in 1833 in Tennessee.

The 1880 census states he was born in 1834 in Tennessee.

The 1900 census states he was born in March 1832 in Tennessee.

The 1910 census states he was born in 1833 in Tennessee.

The Britton Funeral Home metal marker at Freeman Cemetery states he was born in 1831. Since his sister; Sarah Ann was born in 1834 then he was actually born March 1831-1833.

1831 Birth Location of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

His father, Henry Pratt's location in the 1830 census was Monroe County, Tennessee.

Henry Pratt and family did not leave that area until they were forced on the " *Trail of Tears*" in 1838. This places Alexander's birth location as Monroe County, Tennessee.

1834 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Ann (PRATT)

Sarah Ann (PRATT) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 31 October 1834

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1837 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 4 January 1837.

1838 Father's Property Participation

Monroe County Tennessee Registrar Book "K" pages 384,5,6 2 July 1838

"John Dyer to the trustees of Ebinezer Camp Grounds: This indenture made this 2nd of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight between John Dyer of the county of Monroe and state of Tennessee of the one part and Henry Pratt, John Key, Lewis Carter, John L. McKenzie, Jacob C. Brown, Joseph Forshaw, George Selvidge, Benjamin Parker, and Lewis Parks trustess of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Ebinezer meeting house and camp grounds all the county of the state aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that the said John Dyer for and consideration of the sum of fifty dollars when for the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained & sold all the parcel of land lying in the Hiwassee District on Bat Creek being a part of the north west quarter of section twenty thru and second township in the second range east of the meridian beginning at the north west corner of said quarter running south with the line of said section Bat Creek

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thence down the creek with it's border where the creek crosses the east and west line on the north side of said quarter thence with a line beginning containing two acres of land whereon Ebenezer Meeting House and camp grounds by the same more or less and all the estate right title interest property and claims of him the said John Dyer of in and to the same to have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and ingular the premises and very track and parcel thereof with the appointance with the aforementioned said trustees and the Methodist Episcopal Church forever and the said John Dyer for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said trustees and their successors in office by these presents that he promises before now and forever hereafter shall remain free from all former and other gifts grants bargains sells charges and incumbrances does sell this land.

John Dyer

[Lewis Carter is Henry Pratt's brother-in-law, Joseph Forshee is the brother or father of a daughter that married a Harmon. Henry Pratt not an originator of the deed but Lewis talked him into the participation. Cherokees were not allowed to own land.]

1838 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in August 1838 .

1838 Forced Move "Trail of Tears"

A full account of the Henry Pratt family is in my book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**". In this book I give a full detail of the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the "Trail of Tears" in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri by the 1840 census.-Floyd Thomas Pratt

1939 Arrival in Missouri

After a long cold, hard winter the Pratt's found a way to escape from their military escort and followed the creeks from the "Trail of Tears" or what is now known as highway 8 in Crawford County, Missouri and settled 12 miles north in Crawford County before moving into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri by the 1840 census. They began to make friends with other "exiles" who were also in hiding from the government. A local family, the Rinard (Rhinehart) Kimberlin(g) family befriended the Pratts and was instrumental in helping the Pratt family to adjust to their new home life. Also, the Absalom Blanton family helped the Pratts and intermarried which was Cherokee tradition. More in the book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

Rinard & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin family befriends the *Henry Pratt* family. It should be noted here that *Rinard Kimberlin* was a good neighbor and a friend to the *Henry Pratt* family. When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship. When *James Pratt* married Rinard's daughter, *Catherine* in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Rinard's daughter Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for Indians to own

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or buy land. Rinard bought the land; the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt. Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes, which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 9

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198

PRATT, Henry 1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [John Absalom age 6]; 5-9 [Alexander R. age 8]; 10-14

[James age 18]; 40-49 [Henry age 40]

free white females 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 1]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susanna Rebecca age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 40]

1841 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) was born 20 October 1841 in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1841 to 1850 Death of Father; Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) who was born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt that Alexander had gone to California in 1848-1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 census like Alexander does. I have checked available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed said that she thought she had seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt. Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return trip to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County. Regrettably, due to old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

Detailed report in the book; "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**"© 2002

1841-1850 Family Move

It appears after the death of husband; Henry Pratt, Nancy Pratt and family moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, District 24, Crawford,

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Missouri, United States between 1841-1850 to be closer to her daughter's family; Henry H. & Susannah Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family.

1850 Federal Census age 19

District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 244, 8 October 1850, line 6, house 767, family 767

PRATT, N. [Nancy] w f 48; E. [Alexander] w m 18; S. [Sarah] A. [Ann] w f 14; J.[John] A. [Absalom] w m 12; M. [Mary] E. [Elizabeth] w f 11; M. [Matilda] J. [Jane] w f 8
[All born in Tennessee except Matilda Jane was born in Missouri. Next door to daughter; Henry & Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansell family. Nancy is a widow. Nancy could not read and write. Notice that in the occupation section of the census the census taker wrote "widow" not the usual and customary "farmer".]

1856 Family Move

Alexander R. Pratt began courting Rhinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin's daughter; Mary sometime before his property transaction on 22 May 1856. This relationship with the Kimberlin family goes way back to 1839 when Mary's father; Rhinard befriended the Henry Pratt family when the Pratts moved to Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri from Crawford County, Missouri. Alex's brother, James had already married Rhinard's daughter Catherine and Alex knew Mary from associating with the Kimberlin family. Alex moved from Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri, United States where he had been living with his mother and siblings in the 1850 census to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri near Anthonies Mill where the Rhinard Kimberlin family lived when he purchased 40 acres on 22 May 1856.

1856 Property Transaction of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", Page 580, 22 May 1856 NE¼ SE¼ S18 T39 R1W

"This deed made and entered this Twenty Second of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eith hundred and fifty- six between William Hughes and Martha Hughes his wife of the first part and Alexander Pratt of the second part all of the County of Crawford and State of Missouri witness to: That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of eighty dollars to them in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell and convey free from or and our heirs and representatives and the claim or claims of every person or persons whosoever to him the said Alexander Pratt his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of parcel of land lying and being in County of Washington and State of Missouri as follows to wit: The North East quarter [¼] of the South East quarter [¼] of Section No. eighteen [18] in Township No. Thirty -nine [39] of Range No. One West [R1W] containing forty acres. Now know ye that for and in consideration of the sum of paid us as above specified we have conveyed the said land to Alexander Pratt with all and singular the privilege, appertenance an hereditaments of whatever nature there belonging or in any wise appertaining. To have and to hold the same free from us our heirs, representatives, and assigns to him the said Alexander Pratt his heirs, representatives and assigns forever. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this day and date first above written. Attest: J. M. Anthony William Hughes Martha Hughes"

[It should be noted that because Rinard Kimberlin sold some land to James Pratt who had married his daughter Catherine, this paved the way for Alexander to be able to buy land. It was law that Indians were not allowed to own or exchange property. Even though Alexander and James were only ½ Cherokee this still presented a problem. also I imagine that Rinard

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would not let Alexander marry his daughter, Mary unless he showed evidence that he was and could settle down. After Alex bought this land on 22 May 1856, a little over a month later Rinard agreed to Alex and Mary's marriage on 28 June 1856. This property was located near White's Creek and close to Alexander's brother; James & Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1856 Marriage of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt and Mary (KIMBERLIN)

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 181

"State of Missouri Washington County this is to certify that I did solemnize the rite of matrimony between Elexander Prat (sic) and Mary Cimberland (sic) June the 28th 1856. V. S. Carter an ordained minister of the Methodist E Church South. Filed Aug 25th, 1856. W. A. Mathews Recorder."

1857 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Ellen (PRATT)

Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) was born 27 November 1857 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1859 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "K", page 494, 18 March 1859 NE¼ SW¼ S18 T39 R1W

"This deed made and entered into this 18th day of March 1859 Eighteen hundred and fifty nine between Alexander R. Pratt and Mary Pratt his wife of the first part and Ambrose Marion Pennock of the second part witness that the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to them in hand paid by said party of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do by these presents bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever the following described tract of land in the County of Washington and state of Missouri to wit, The North East quarter of south west quarter of section No. eighteen in township No. thirty - nine of range No. one west containing forty acres to have and to hold unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever. In testimony whereof of the said party of the first part have hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first aforesaid.

Alexander (X) R. Pratt and Mary(X) Pratt

[It appears that after 3 short years after Alexander R. Pratt, my 2nd great grandfather, the property almost doubled in value. Why they choose to move and leave is unknown.

Alexander's inlaws; Rinard and Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin were still alive and according to the 1860 census Alex stayed in the area. Cherokees were not farmers so farming probably did not appeal to Alexander.]

1860 Childbirth of son; Michael Pratt

Michael Pratt was born June 1860 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1860 Federal Census age 29

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 130, 26 July 1860, line 23; house 879, family 879

PRATTE, Alex w m 24; Mary w f 23; Mary w f 2; Michael w m 1/12

[Alex born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Alex and Mary could not read and write. Even though Alex is listed as a farmer, where he was living did not present a good farming area. Too many rocky hills to farm.]

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1860-1870 Death of son; Michael Pratt

Sometime between the date of the 1860 census of 26 July 1860 and the 1870 census Michael Pratt died near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1861 Childbirth of son; Stonewall Jackson Pratt

Stonewall Jackson Pratt was born 16 September 1861 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1864 Military Medical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals for pension applications in Potosi, Mo. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the library at the University Of Missouri in the manuscript room at Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864

#57 Alex Pratt age 19 Diagnosis: Tuberculosis & debility."

[These medicals took place at Potosi, Washington, Missouri. Debility is weakness caused by long sickness. Alex is listed next to his brother John. Unknown why his age was given as 19. Apparently the Union Army was having trouble raising enough able-bodied men to fight or he was already in the war and was discharged due to medical condition. Since I can not find any Pratt's fighting in the Civil War for the white man, then probably this was all a ruse to avoid the civil war conflict.]

1865 Childbirth of daughter; Frances "Fannie" Minerva (PRATT)

Frances "Fannie" Minerva (PRATT) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 June 1865.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Paulina Perlina "Lina" (PRATT)

Paulina Perlina "Lina" (PRATT) was born 9 May 1868 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of son; Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt

Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt was born 6 September 1869 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 39

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98a, 16 August 1870, line 31, house 106, family 106

PRATT, Alexander w m 37; Mary w f 35; Mary w f 13; Jackson w m 8; Fannie w f 4; Pelina w f 2; Winslow w m 8mos born in September

[All born in Missouri except Alexander born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Alex, Mary and daughter Mary could not read and write. Winslow was born in September. Living in close proximity to the John Record family and the Kimberlins.]

1872 Death of step-father; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton's second husband died on March 4, 1872 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a

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landowner and business man with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1873 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt

Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt was born March 1873 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1873 Property Transaction

Hempstead County, Arkansas Warranty Deed, 3 July 1873 1/8 NE¼ SW¼ S30 T40 R1W James Blanton and wife Nancy H. Blanton sell forty acres of land in Washington County, Missouri to Alexander R. Pratt for sixty dollars, To wit: undivided 1/8 of the north east quarter of the south west quarter of section no. 30 township no. 40 range no. 1 west of the fifth principal meridian. 1/8 NE¼ SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

[This was part of Absalom Blanton's estate inheritance divided among his children after he died on 4 March 1872. Alexander bought out the Blanton descendants.]

1873 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "V", page 1-3, 4 October 1873

Heirs of Absalom Blanton deed to Alexander Pratt

Participants; Elbert S. Blanton and wife, Mary E. Blanton; John Allen and wife Elizabeth Allen; John E. Pratt and wife Caroline Pratt; John Blanton and wife, Margaret S. Blanton; William W. Blanton and wife, Mary A. Blanton; Alexander Blanton; Henry H. Blanton and wife, Matilda J. Blanton. Alexander R. Pratt paid them fifty dollars each for 40 acres in Washington Co., MO. To wit: One undivided eight 1/8 of the north half of section no. one of the south west quarter of section no. 30 in township no. 40 of range one west. 1/8 N½ S1 SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

1875 Death of mother; Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton died on 17 November 1875 at Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States according to the 14 January 1876 Administrator's Bond in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1876 Administrator's Bond for Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Washington County, Missouri, Administrator's Bond 14 January 1876

Affidavit: State of Missouri; County of Washington

Alexander R. Pratt, administrator of the estate of Nancy Blanton, deceased, being duly sworn, says that the said Nancy Blanton died intestate, and without leaving any will, at Washington County, Missouri Nov 17th A.D. 1875 leaving as her heirs Alex R. Pratt, Jane Blanton wife of Henry Blanton, Sarah A. Blanton wife of Jno. A. Blanton, Mary Blanton wife of Alfred Blanton & Jacob H., Fanny, R. A. & Nancy Pratt children of Jas. Pratt decd living in Washington County, Missouri and Catherine, Alexander, Absalom, Augustus, Queen, Isabella, Susan, Benjamin, Sarah, and Louisa Blanton children of Alex & nancy M. Blanton and Susan Hansell residing in Crawford County, Missouri, and Lorinda Hull wife of Ira Hull residing in Laclede County, Missouri. And that he will make a perfect inventory of, and faithfully administer all the estate of the said Nancy Blanton, and pay the debts as far as the assets will extend and the law direct, and account for and pay all assets which shall come to his possession or knowledge. Alexander R. Pratt, X his mark

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1876 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie (PRATT)

Minnie (**PRATT**) was born 8 November 1876 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1876-1880 Death of spouse; Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States probably after giving birth to daughter, Minnie (**PRATT**) in 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 49

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 85a, 10 June 1880, line 28, house 80, family 85

PRATT, Alexander head w m male 46; Stonewall J. son w m 19; Manerva dau w f 15; Polinia dau w f 13; Winslow son w m 11; Rhinard son w m 7; Minnie dau w f 4

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents in Virginia, all the rest born in Missouri, father born in Tennessee, mother born in Missouri. Alexander is a widower and a farmer. Living next door to his daughter's family; James & Mary E. (**PRATT**) Studdard.]

1885 Marriage of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt and Catherine Adaline (DUGAN)

Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 223

[1] Alexander Pratt and Miss Catherine Adeline Dugan were married on 20 August 1885 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

[2] Washington County - Marriage Records Volume 1 1881-1889 by Brian Oster / 223-2
Alexander Pratt of Johnson Twp., Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Miss Caroline Adeline Dugan of Johnson Twp., Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 7 August 1885 license; married on 20 August 1885 by Simon O'Farrell, JP at Hamilton
(<http://www.vienici.com/moabs/WildCard.asp>)

Research Note

Seems to be a discrepancy of enormous proportions. When I read their marriage record in 1976, I was new to research and as an untrained observer, I thought I saw her name as Mrs. Other researchers have now reported that the Mrs. was actually Misf which was a double "s" indicating she was a Miss not a Mrs. After viewing the actual record, I must now conclude that it is written as Miss not Mrs. I have found in the census records a Miss Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) in Franklin County, Missouri who was 20 years old. Alexander would have been 53 years old at the time of this marriage and surely the newspapers should have written an article about the discrepancy in age of this marriage. I have not had the time to check the Sullivan, Potosi, Bourbon or Steelville newspapers to verify any such article. However, if Adaline, the 20 year old in the census is the one he married...that would explain her ability to bear two children and dying young, from childbirth complications in 1892.

1888 Childbirth of son; Carac Francis Pratt

Carac Francis Pratt was born 13 October 1888 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1892 Childbirth of son; Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt

Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt was born March 1892 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1892 Death of spouse; Catherine Adaline (DUGAN) Pratt

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Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) Pratt died near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after March 1892 the birthdate her son; Cleveland and before 8 October 1892 the deed date where Alexander states he is single.

1892 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book , 8 October 1892, page
Warranty Deed: Alexander R. Pratt to Ross M. Crow All of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ part NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ S90 T40 R1W

This indenture made on the eighth day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two by and between Alexander R. Pratt of Washington County, Missouri party of the first part and Ross M. Crow of the County of Washington in the state of Missouri party of the second part, witness that the said party of the first part in consideration of the sum of one thousand dollars to him paid by the said party of the second part the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged and by these presents hereby grant, bargain and sell, convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns the following assigned lots, parcels or tracts of land lying and being the county of Washington and in the state of Missouri to wit: All of the south west quarter of the north west quarter [SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$] and part of the the north west quarter of the south west quarter [NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$] of section ninety [90] township forty [40] range one west [R1W] containing sixty-four [64] acres more or less. To have and to hold the premises aforesaid with all the rights, privileges, appurtenances and immunities that belonging in anyway pertaining unto the said party of the second part and unto his heirs and assigns forever. The said Alexander R. Pratt truly covenants that he is lawfully ??? in of an indefeasable estate in fee in the persons have conveyed that he has good right to convey the same that the said premises are free and clear of any incumbrances no one or suffered by him that makes a claim. And that he will warrant and defend to the said party of the second part of any claims by his heirs and assigns forever against any unlawful claims or all persons whomsoever. In witness that the party of the first part has set his hand and seal this day and year first above written.

Alexander R. Pratt his X mark

On this 8th day of October 1892 before me personally appeared Alexander R. Pratt to me known to be the person ascribed in and executed the forgoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free will and deed. Further said Alexander R. Pratt further declares himself to be single and unmarried. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my office seal at my office in Sullivan the day and year first above written.

Joseph V. Pits notary public

[This deed declares that Alexander was single as of October 8, 1892. Therefore his wife had died probably from birth complications of her son; Cleveland Pratt who was born in March 1892 and the date of this deed 8 October 1892.]

1893 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book , 2 September 1893
Quit Claim Deed: Alexander R. Pratt to Ross M. Crow N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 2 NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ S30 T40 R1W

Alexander R. Pratt sells 80 acres for one thousand dollars to Ross M. Crow. Land is in Washington County, Missouri even though this deed was filed in Franklin County. North half of lot No. 2, north west quarter of the south west quarter section 30 township 40 range one west containing eighty acres.[It appears after the death of Catherine, his second wife, Alexander sold off the old homestead in Hamilton Hollow to Ross Crow. After living the area since 1839 they moved to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States before the 19 June

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1900 census date.]

1893-1900 Family Move

From Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census age 69

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27a, 19 June 1900, line 22, house 207, family 210

PRATT, Alexander head w m born March 1832 age 68; Ryneard son w m born March 1875 age 25; Carrick son w m born October 1888 age 11; Cleveland son w m born March 1892 age 8

[Alexander was born in Tennessee as was his parents. The rest of the boys were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee and their mother in Missouri. Alexander can not read or write and his farm house is rented. Rinard is the son of Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt and Carac and Cleveland are sons of Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) Pratt.]

1910 Federal Census age 79

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27a, 2 May 1910, line 60, house 242, family 244

PRATT, Henry W. head w m 37; Laura wife w f 35; Columbus son w m 16; Jessie L. son w m 15; Albert P. son w m 13; Virgil R. son w m 9; Henry A. son w m 7; Ruth J. dau w f 5; Mary S. dau w f 3; Alexander father w m 77

[All born in Missouri except father, Alexander born in Tennessee. Henry's father born in Tennessee as was the parents of Alexander. Henry & Laura have been married for 18 years. Henry says he owned his home and was a farmer. Henry could not read or write neither could Alexander. Laura says she has had 7 children born and 7 are living. Alexander is a widower. All children are single. Living next door to Henry's nephew; John Studdard.]

1910 Death of son; Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt

Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 October 1910.

1912 Death of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt died near Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1912.

[1] Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt died either the early part of 1912 (Jan-Mar) or the latter (Oct-Dec) according to his grandson, Fred Callahan. The roads were icy and they could not take his body back to Sullivan so they buried him the Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

[2] Date on metal plate at gravesite states 1831-1912 from gravesite marker at Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1912 Burial of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

His son, Carac, put metal marker at grave site. (see picture)

Alexander Pratt 1831-1912

The Death of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 1982

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21 June 1982 Story about the death of Alexander Pratt

In 1982, I used to travel throughout the middle portion of Missouri tracking down ancestors and related families. One such family was Thomas Livey and Polina (**PRATT**) Callahan family; Alexander's daughter who had lived in Cheryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri for many years and had children who still lived in that area. One such child was Fred C. Callahan born 4 July 1907 in Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 29 January 1992 at Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States.

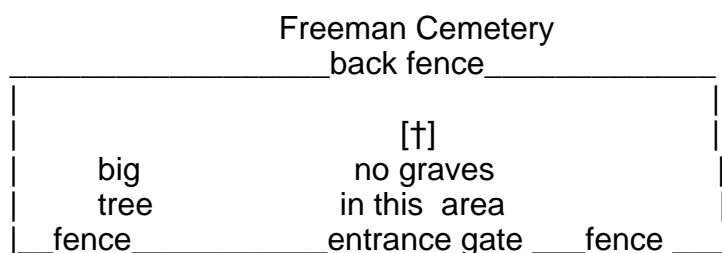
After receiving a reply to my newspaper ad looking for Alexander Pratt's grave from Elsie Conaway, who told me where the gravesite was located, I started to contact the Callahan family and drove to Cherryville to visit Fred Callahan on 21 June 1982. He related the following story to me about his grandpa...Alexander Pratt.

When Fred was a little boy...about 5 years old, Grandpa Alex (Alexander R. Pratt) came to visit his Mom and Dad (Lina & Tom Callahan) who lived near Cherryville, Missouri. Little Freddie used to "pick" on his Grandpa by climbing on him and playing with him like little grandchildren do with their grandpa. [I know from personal experience that my grandchildren; Brian and Jacob love to wrestle with me and get me down on the floor and climb on top of me and "beat me up". I've watched my father play with his great-grandchildren the same way.]

One day, Grandpa Alex was rockin' in a rockin' chair by the fireplace chewin' tobacco, when little Freddie ran into the kitchen where his mother was cookin' and said " *Momma, sumptins wrong with Grandpa*", Lina said, " *You quit pickin' on Grandpa or I'll box your ears.*" They went into the front room and Lina found that Alex Pratt had died of a heart attack in his rocking chair. He was 79. This happened in 1912. Unknown if it was in the earlier part of the year or the winter months of the year.

Fred told me because the roads were slick with ice from an ice storm, they couldn't get the wagon with Alexander's body up the hills to take him back to his home in Sullivan to be buried, so they buried him in the Freeman Cemetery outside of Cherryville, Missouri. [I have driven' those roads at Cherryville and they are extremely steep and even hard to drive up them when the road is clear let alone when there is snow or sleet on the highway.]

Carac Pratt, Alex's son from his second marriage, put a small metal marker at the grave site in 1975, which was still there when I visited the grave in 1982. Luckily, I took a picture of that metal placque because I have now been told that someone took the placque from the cemetery and it is missing. This is a drawing of where he is buried. It is now 2008, so I am trying to remember from my 1982 visit.



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___Freeman Cemetery Road off of Highway 19___

His gravesite was about 3 or 4 in from the back fence towards the gate. I had made 2 attempts to find his grave. I had ridin' my motorcyle from Springfield, Missouri where I was living and operating an insurance agency.

On my first visit I walked all over the cemetery and found nothing. I had left the radio on the motorcycle and it was playing "rock" music and I was not in tune with the spirit and I was unsuccessful. There was a spot that I felt a strange feeling come over me but I didn't know why, there was nothing there.

On my second trip on a different day, this time, I left the radio off and Elsie Conaway came with me and showed me where he was buried. To my surprise, it was in the same spot I had previously searched but found nothing. There it was...the metal marker clearly sticking out of the ground. How did I miss it the first time? I do not know. Maybe I wasn't intune with the spirit and was blinded by the ways of the world and failed to see. I don't know.

That is the story on how Alexander Pratt became buried in the Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Crawford, Missouri, United States. There should be newspaper accounts of his death in the Sullivan, Bourbon, Steelville and/or Potosi newspapers. Those newspapers are kept at the State Historical Society in Cloumbia, Missouri and I had to travel to Columbia to get to read them. Usually I was permitted to have one day because I was a working father and had to raise a family at the same time I was trying to research my family line. I found some references to the Pratts, Blantons, Carters and other families in those papers but time prevented me from doing a thorough research. Maybe one day they will be online.-Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

1982 Newspaper Inquiry

[1] The Independent Journal, 119 East Hight Street, Potosi, Missouri, June 3, 1982, page 13 and

[2] The Independent Journal, 119 East Hight Street, Potosi, Missouri, May 27, 1982, page 11

"WANTED: The burial place of Alexander Pratt father of Winslow Pratt, was living on Crows Creek, died between 1910-1920. Reward of \$20 for information. Write: Floyd Pratt, 2926 W. Washita, Springfield, Missouri 65807."

[I ran this advertisement hoping to find where Alexander Pratt was buried. I was hoping to pinpoint a birth and death date. Up to this point all I had was census records and nothing else to go on. And you must remember, back in 1982 I was still light years ahead of other researchers who did not even know who Alexander Pratt was or whom he married. Two people answered my ad and wrote back to me informing me of the location of Alexander's gravesite. The first was Elsie E. Conaway; born 31 October 1925 and died February 1988 from Cherryville and the second was Margaret Wagner from Sullivan, Missouri. Neither one wanted the \$20 and when I drove out to see Elsie, she took me to where his gravesite was located. Whoa!! [I am still in coorespondence with Margaret Wagner as of this day 4 July 2010.]

But first I am getting ahead of myself. When Elsie wrote to me and told me where his grave was located I decided to ride my 750cc Honda Goldwing motorcycle up from Springfield,

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where I lived, to Cherryville. I remember going up highway 19 and getting off at the Cemetery. I had a radio on my Honda and I was fond of rock music, loud...rock music and of course everyone knows that rock music is not conducive to the Holy Ghost and when I arrived at the cemetery, I left my radio on and walked the entire cemetery looking for Alexander Pratt's grave. I thoroughly looked at each grave site in anticipation of finding his grave after all these years but something was wrong and I couldn't find him. I went over and over the cemetery checking carefully each headstone and marker and he was not there. At one point of my search, I remember walking straight towards the back of the cemetery fence and felt a strange sensation at about 2 or 3 graves in but did not see any marker or headstone. I was dissapointed to say the least and drove back home after doing more research that day and was despondent.

I called Elsie and told her I could not find the gravesite and she offered to take me there in person. So, sometime later, a week, a few days I don't remember, I rode my motorcycle back up to the cemetery and met Elsie, but this time I did not play rock music. And to my surprise she took me right to the spot that I had felt a strange sensation before but could not see the marker and lo and behold there it was...a steel metal marker which said "Alexander Pratt 1831-1912".

I became very humbled and realized how grateful I was to my Heavenly Father for allowing me to see the marker and to Elsie for taking the time to show me his gravesite. Why didn't I see it before? It must have been there. It's been there since Carac put in there before 1975. I believe the reason I didn't see it the first time was because my spirit was not in harmony with the Holy Ghost and I was not ready. After humbling myself, the Lord blessed me and we found the marker. Those of you who know what I am talking about...understand. I took a Polaroid picture of the marker and have it at this day. It is included in the pictures of Alexander Pratt's collection. Sadly, I was told that someone has taken the marker and it is lost. This is a true story-Floyd Thomas Pratt

PS: In appreciation Elsie (**WORLEY**) Conaway and Fred C. Callahan have had their temple work completed.

Orville Carac Pratt

I found another grandson of Alexander Pratt living in Bethalto, Illinois. Sometime in the 1980's I made a trip and visited with Orville Carac Pratt, son of Carac Francis Pratt. Carac Francis Pratt was the last known living child of Alexander & Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) Pratt.

Orville related the following information about his Grandpa Alexander Pratt. Orville said his father; Carac told him that Alexander was a big man 6' 4" tall and weighed about 240lbs. Alex was a blacksmith, autioneer, and ran a threshing seperator rig for a while. Since Carac made railroad ties then probably he learned this from his father. Carac also told him that his dad, Alex made the gold rush to California in 1849. [If Alex made the gold rush maybe that's where his father Henry Pratt died. Maybe his dad went with him to California because Alex was only 17 years in 1849.]

Research Speculation

[In close proximity to Lick Creek in Greene County, Tennessee, next door to the Carter family, the Harmon family and the Blanton family, there was James & Ann (**GIBSON**) Pratt family from Rockingham County, North Carolina. A few years before Henry Pratt and Nancy (**CARTER**) were married on October 3, 1820 in Greene County, Tennessee, there

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was a Robert Pratt and Alexander Pratt getting married in Greene County, Tennessee. The question is; does the "R." in Alexander's middle name represent his uncle...Robert? Was Alexander named after another uncle...Alexander? Was Henry Pratt the son of James & Ann (**GIBSON**) Pratt since he named his first son James? Further research into this family needs to take place in the historical archives of Greene County, Tennessee.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008]

My Tribute to the Ambrose Marion Pennock Family by Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

When my 2nd great grandfather, Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt bought 40 acres from William & Martha () Hughes on 22 May 1856, this property transaction had a great deal more intrigue and suspense than a normal property transfer.

My 2ggfather, Alex was 1/2 Cherokee and Native Americans were not allowed to buy or own property.

When the Pratts were forced from their home in Monroe County, Tennessee by bayonets, they were force marched on the "Trail of Tears" from September 1938 to March 1939, this has been documented by personal journals of those who accompanied the Pratts on that journey.

When they arrived in the portion of Crawford County, Missouri which later became Washington County, before the 1840 census date, they settled near the local family of Rinard (Rhinehart) & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberling family.

The Kimberlings hailed from Botetourt County, Virginia and had been in Missouri since 1825 and settled in the Richwoods Township area of Washington County where Alexander's father, Henry Pratt shows up in the 1840 census. Rinard later moved to Johnson Township and the Pratts followed.

One of Henry's sons; James Pratt took a liking to one of Rinard's daughter's; Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**). But, Rinard was not going to let James Pratt a Cherokee marry his daughter unless he settled down. I guess Catherine was relentless in her pleadings to her father and he finally consented to the marriage and James & Catherine were married sometime between 1847-1848. [No record has been located].

On 25 February 1854, Rinard sold 23 acres to his son-n-law, James Pratt. This was the first property transaction found for the Pratts. Their father, Henry Pratt never owned property because he was full blooded Cherokee and it was against tribal custom and government law. [Cherokees felt that everyone in the tribe owned the land and therefore it could not be bought or sold.]

Alexander, encouraged by James' success with land purchase but more intrigued by another of Rinard's daughter, Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) wanted to seek her hand in marriage. Rinard realizing that he wanted good stable husbands for his daughters, informed Alex that he had to purchase property and settle down, BEFORE, he would permit his daughter to marry him.

So, on 22 May 1856, Alexander purchased 40 acres from William Hughes and a little more than 1 month later, on 28 June 1856 he married Mary (**KIMBERLIN**). So these 40 acres were the original homestead of Alexander R. & Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.

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Cherokees are not very good farmers and after trying to conform to the farming life, Alexander decided this wasn't for him and about that time a new family arrived in the Johnson Township area looking for good land to build a future. This is where the Ambrose Marion Pennock family purchased the old homestead of the Alexander Pratt family on 18 March 1859.

Alexander Pratt stayed in the Johnson Township area of Washington County until after his second wife...Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) Pratt died in 1892. He then moved to the Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri area to be closer to his son, Henry Winslow Pratt family and Alexander died in 1912.

As you see, because of the friendship our ancestors shared with others, the Ambrose Marion Pennock family will always have a special place in the hearts of the Pratts, this friendship transcends generations and binds our families together forever. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

Blanton Hollow now known as Hamilton Hollow

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There are two cemeteries on the hills at Hamilton Hollow across from each other. One is called Hamilton Cemetery and the other is the Blanton Cemetery. There are only a few headstones that have survived but both have many indentations in the ground where people have been buried.

Since the Pratt's were of Cherokee ancestry, the government made sure that native indians were not allowed to prosper. This included preventing them from voting, buying and selling land, holding legal offices and even buying fishing licenses and they suffered other abuses kin to the way the whites treated the blacks.

Therefore, there were many mixed native families living in the 39th and 40th townships of Johnson Township in Washington County, Missouri. These families found a common bond by seeking refuge from the abuses of the whites by living in close proximity. Only by marrying into local white families did these mixed natives begin to gain acceptance after the turn of the century.

In the meantime, they survived by hunting and cutting ties and staves for the railroad and mining companies.

My grandfather; Columbus Benjamin Alexander Pratt known as "Lum" to his friends was not only taught those trades by his father; Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt but also became known as an accomplished concrete and rock mason. My dad has shown me many structures still standing in Bourbon and the surrounding community that my grandfather had built.

Hamilton Hollow was named after the Hamilton Iron Works Mining Company who purchased the land from Absalom Blanton's son; Alexander A. Blanton Sr. in 1872 which comprised of property around Henry Pratt's log cabin and Absalom Blanton's mansion which has now become known in these latter days as Hamilton Hollow.

The old maps of the region show that the hollow was named Blanton Hollow in honor of Absalom Blanton and the creek the Blanton Creek. Near the creek is a cold water spring now

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called Pratt Spring named by the Missouri Corps of Engineers in honor of where Henry Pratt had built his log cabin on the bluff above. The large cave near the spring is named Pratt Cave.

Absalom Blanton had bought this property on 3 November 1849 and developed a mining operation which employed many in the area. He built a large mansion with a winding staircase, which has been written in numerous local newspapers.

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Why did Alexander R. & Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt name one of their sons; Henry Winslow Pratt?

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The name Winslow is so unusual it is hard to determine where it came from. I can find no references or articles to famous people carrying that name circa 1860's or around the time of Henry Winslow Pratt's birth (1869). I can not find any family member in the Pratt, Carter, Blanton or Kimberlin lines that carried the Winslow name. However, there is a long shot I found through my research efforts, that may have a clue to the origin of the name.

David Jackson Staples married Mary Pratt (**WINSLOW**) in Boston, Massachusetts in 1848. This was the same year that gold had been discovered on the American River in California. David decided he had to go west to seek his fortune and with 25 men, including Mary's brother George Winslow from Newton, Massachusetts and her Uncle Jesse Winslow and others, formed the Boston-Newton Joint Stock Association.

In 1848 and with the intent of going to California to participate in the gold rush, David Staples kept a journal of the trip. Traveling by train and lake steamer they reached Ohio without incident. After reaching Cairo, Illinois by April 27th and heading north to Saint Louis (City) for provisions, the party was spurred on by a cholera epidemic in St. Louis and left for Independence, Missouri by paddleboat up the Missouri River.

On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, *a party"....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco.

Presumptive Conclusions

The following questions and assumptions are based on several coincidences from the David Jackson Staples story. These queries are meant to provoke contemplation and engage the reader into action, so someone, somewhere will desire to investigate and find the answers.

(1) Could the Mary Pratt (**WINSLOW**) from Newton, Massachusetts, that married David Staples have been a relative of Alexander or one of the other Pratts?

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- (2) Was Alexander Pratt familiar with the Boston Pratts?
- (3) When the Staples party left St. Louis by paddleboat, they probably traveled the Missouri River.
- (4) They may have stopped at Hannibal, Missouri for provisions. Hannibal is not far from our Pratts in Crawford County.
- (5) Did the Staples-Winslow party stop and visit with the Pratts from Crawford County, Missouri?
- (6) One thing is known...Alexander Pratt went to the California gold fields in 1848-1849. This story was passed down by Alexander to his son; Carac who told his son; Orville, who told me in the 1980's before he died about Alex making the trip to California.
- (7) I have always speculated that if Alexander went west in 1848 to California for gold, he didn't go alone. I believe some of his brother's and maybe his father; Henry Pratt accompanied him.
- (8) Let's take this one step further, could Henry & Alexander and his brothers have hooked up with the David Staples party when they were going through Missouri at about the same time?
- (9) Could Henry Pratt, who we know was alive in 1842, could he have died on the trail out west? His wife, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt is a widow by the 8 October 1850 census date. After 35 years of researching, we still do not know where or when Henry Pratt died.
- (10) David Staples' Journal says that "*a party of their group lost a husband father and friend due to the cholera epidemic and returned*". Could this have been Henry Pratt who died on the trail and his sons returned home to Crawford County, Missouri?
- (11) Alexander is in the 1850 census with his mother and brothers. Why didn't he continue his westward trek to the gold fields of California? What would force him to return prematurely? Maybe the death of their father?
- (12) Did Alexander's association with the Staples and Winslow men on the trail create an impression on Alexander, that in 1869 he named one of his sons--Henry after his grandfather and Winslow after his good friend George Winslow of Newton, Massachusetts?
- (13) Alexander's son; Stonewall Jackson Pratt after reaching adulthood, dropped the "Stonewall" and took the middle name of "Newton". All the while he was alive in Columbia, Missouri since his adult life he was known as Jackson "Jack" Newton Pratt. Where did he get the name of Newton? From Newton, Massachusetts?
- (14) Henry Winslow Pratt named one of his sons, Jesse Lee Pratt in 1894. I can find no previous references to the name Jesse in the Pratt, Kimberlin, Missey families other than Carter family which I am sure they, meaning Henry Winslow Pratt, was not aware of...Jesse Carter Sr. his great-grandfather. The Pratts did not have any written record of their family history so I am sure Jesse Carter Sr. was unknown to them. I think Henry Winslow Pratt named Jesse Pratt after Jesse Winslow from Newton, Massachusetts, who accompanied

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his father, Alex and David Staples westward to California.

(15) Once again Boston, Massachusetts pops up in my research. If the above hypothesis has any credibility, then maybe there was something to my great Aunt Eula's story about one of Jackson Pratt's boys stealing some Boston deeds from Laura (**MISSEY**) Pratt in the late 1920's or early 1930's. More on that story can be found in my article, "Who Stole the Deeds?" Should be noted that many older family members retold the stolen deed story to me, not just my great Eula Viola (**RICHARDSON**) Pratt.

I have a book titled "**Still Flying and Nailed to the Mast**", The First Hundred Years of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, by William Bronson, © 1963 by Doubleday & Company, Inc. Garden City, New York. This book gives an accounting of some of the journals of David Staples and the hardships they faced on their journey to California from Boston.

When my father was in the insurance business and owned his own agency, he contracted with Fireman's Fund Insurance Company as an agent (around 1969) and they gave him this book. He later gave me the book. Little did I know the mysteries I would find concerning the Staples, Winslow and Pratt families within its pages. I found it strange that the founder of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company had married Mary Pratt (**WINSLOW**). I realize without more collaborating evidence, the above hypothesis is purely speculation. In any case there are some coincidences that can not be overlooked. -Floyd Thomas Pratt 2009

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Alexander R "Alex" Pratt Birth: Mar., 1831 Monroe County Tennessee, USA Death: 1912 Cherryville Crawford County Missouri, USA

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

1831 Birthblock for Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt son of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in March 1831.

[My 2ndggfather]

The 1840 census states he was born in 1830-1835.

The 1850 census states he was born in 1832 in Tennessee.

The 1860 census states he was born in 1836 in Tennessee.

The 1870 census states he was born in 1833 in Tennessee.

The 1880 census states he was born in 1834 in Tennessee.

The 1900 census states he was born in March 1832 in Tennessee.

The 1910 census states he was born in 1833 in Tennessee.

The Britton Funeral Home metal marker at Freeman Cemetery states he was born in 1831.

Since his sister; Sarah Ann was born in 1834 then he was actually born March 1831-1833.

1831 Birth Location of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

His father, Henry Pratt's location in the 1830 census was Monroe County, Tennessee. Henry Pratt and family did not leave that area until they were forced on the "Trail of Tears" in 1838.

This places Alexander's birth location as Monroe County, Tennessee.

1834 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Ann (PRATT)

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Sarah Ann (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 31 October 1834.

1837 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 4 January 1837.

1838 Father's Property Participation

Monroe County Tennessee Registrar Book "K" pages 384,5,6 2 July 1838

"John Dyer to the trustees of Ebenezer Camp Grounds: This indenture made this 2nd of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight between John Dyer of the county of Monroe and state of Tennessee of the one part and Henry Pratt, John Key, Lewis Carter, John L. McKenzie, Jacob C. Brown, Joseph Forshaw, George Selvidge, Benjamin Parker, and Lewis Parks trustess of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Ebenezer meeting house and camp grounds all the county of the state aforesaid of the other part witnessst that the said John Dyer for and consideration of the sum of fifty dollars when for the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained & sold all the parcel of land lying in the Hiwassee District on Bat Creek being a part of the north west quarter of section twenty thru and second township in the second range east of the meridian beginning at the north west corner of said quarter running south with the line of said section Bat Creek thence down the creek with it's border where the creek crosses the east and west line on the north side of said quarter thence with a line beginning containing two acres of land whereon Ebenezer Meeting House and camp grounds by the same more or less and all the estate right title interest property and claims of him the said John Dyer of in and to the same to have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and ingular the premises and very track and parcel thereof with the appointance with the aforementioned said trustees and the Methodist Episcopal Church forever and the said John Dyer for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said trustees and their successors in office by these presents that he promises before now and forever hereafter shall remain free from all former and other gifts grants bargains sells charges and incumbrances does sell this land. John Dyer

[Lewis Carter is Henry Pratt's brother-in-law, Joseph Forshee is the brother or father of a daughter that married a Harmon. Henry Pratt not an originator of the deed but Lewis talked him into the participation. Cherokees were not allowed to own land.]

1838 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in August 1838 .

Red Clay State Park, the site of the last Cherokee council before The Trail of Tears began, is located in Bradley County.

1838 Forced Move "Trail of Tears"

A full account of the Henry Pratt family is in my book "Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee". In this book I give a full detail of the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the "Trail of Tears" in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri by the 1840 census.- Floyd Thomas Pratt

1939 Arrival in Missouri

After a long cold, hard winter the Pratt's found a way to escape from their military escort and

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followed the creeks from the "Trail of Tears" or what is now known as highway 8 in Crawford County, Missouri and settled 12 miles north in Crawford County before moving into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri by the 1840 census. They began to make friends with other "exiles" who were also in hiding from the government. A local family, the Rinard (Rhinehart) Kimberlin(g) family befriended the Pratts and was instrumental in helping the Pratt family to adjust to their new home life. Also, the Absalom Blanton family helped the Pratts and intermarried which was Cherokee tradition. More in the book "Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee" (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1839 Good Friends

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It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family. When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship. When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, it was against the law for indians to own or buy land. Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt. Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 9

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198

PRATT, Henry 1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [John Absalom age 6]; 5-9 [Alexander R. age 8]; 10-14 [James age 18]; 40-49 [Henry age 40]

free white females 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 1]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susanna Rebecca age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 40]

1841 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) was born 20 October 1841 in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1841 to 1850 Death of Father; Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) who was born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt that Alexander had gone to California in 1848/1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 census like Alexander does. I have checked available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (MILLER) Reed said that she thought she had

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seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt. Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return trip to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County. Regrettably, due to old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008 Detailed report in the book; "Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee"© 2002

1841-1850 Family Move

It appears after the death of husband; Henry Pratt, Nancy Pratt and family moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1841-1850 to be closer to her daughter's family; Henry H. & Susannah Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family.

1850 Federal Census age 19

District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 244, 8 October 1850, line 6, house 767, family 767

PRATT, N. [Nancy] w f 48; E. [Alexander] w m 18; S. [Sarah] A. [Ann] w f 14; J.[John] A. [Absalom] w m 12; M. [Mary] E. [Elizabeth] w f 11; M. [Matilda] J. [Jane] w f 8
[All born in Tennessee except Matilda Jane was born in Missouri. Next door to daughter; Henry & Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansell family. Nancy is a widow. Nancy could not read and write. Notice that in the occupation section of the census the census taker wrote "widow" not the usual and customary "farmer".]

1856 Family Move

Alexander R. Pratt began courting Rhinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin's daughter; Mary sometime before his property transaction on 22 May 1856. This relationship with the Kimberlin family goes way back to 1839 when Mary's father; Rhinard befriended the Henry Pratt family when the Pratts moved to Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri from Crawford County, Missouri. Alex's brother, James had already married Rhinard's daughter Catherine and Alex knew Mary from associating with the Kimberlin family. Alex moved from Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri, United States where he had been living with his mother and siblings in the 1850 census to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri near Anthonies Mill where the Rhinard Kimberlin family lived when he purchased 40 acres on 22 May 1856.

1856 Property Transaction of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", Page 580, 22 May 1856 NE¼ SE¼ S18 T39 R1W

"This deed made and entered this Twenty Second of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eith hundred and fifty- six between William Hughes and Martha Hughes his wife of the first part and Alexander Pratt of the second part all of the County of Crawford and State of Missouri witness to: That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of eighty dollars to them in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell and convey free

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from or and our heirs and representatives and the claim or claims of every person or persons whosoever to him the said Alexander Pratt his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of parcel of land lying and being in County of Washington and State of Missouri as follows to wit: The North East quarter [¼] of the South East quarter [¼] of Section No. eighteen [18] in Township No. Thirty -nine [39] of Range No. One West [R1W] containing forty acres. Now know ye that for and in consideration of the sum of paid us as above specified we have conveyed the said land to Alexander Pratt with all and singular the privilege, appertenance and hereditaments of whatever nature there belonging or in any wise appertaining. To have and to hold the same free from us our heirs, representatives, and assigns to him the said Alexander Pratt his heirs, representatives and assigns forever. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this day and date first above written. Attest: J. M. Anthony William Hughes Martha Hughes"

[It should be noted that because Rinard Kimberlin sold some land to James Pratt who had married his daughter Catherine, this paved the way for Alexander to be able to buy land. It was law that Indians were not allowed to own or exchange property. Even though Alexander and James were only ½ Cherokee this still presented a problem. also I imagine that Rinard would not let Alexander marry his daughter, Mary unless he showed evidence that he was and could settle down. After Alex bought this land on 22 May 1856, a little over a month later Rinard agreed to Alex and Mary's marriage on 28 June 1856. This property was located near White's Creek and close to Alexander's brother; James & Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1856 Marriage of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt and Mary (KIMBERLIN)

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 181

"State of Missouri Washington County this is to certify that I did solemnize the rite of matrimony between Alexander Prat (sic) and Mary Cimberland (sic) June the 28th 1856. V. S. Carter an ordained minister of the Methodist E Church South. Filed Aug 25th, 1856. W. A. Mathews Recorder."

1857 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Ellen (PRATT)

Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) was born 27 November 1857 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1859 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "K", page 494, 18 March 1859 NE¼ SW¼ S18 T39 R1W

"This deed made and entered into this 18th day of March 1859 Eighteen hundred and fifty nine between Alexander R. Pratt and Mary Pratt his wife of the first part and Ambrose Marion Pennock of the second part witness that the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to them in hand paid by said party of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do by these presents bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever the following described tract of land in the County of Washington and state of Missouri to wit, The North East quarter of south west quarter of section No. eighteen in township No. thirty - nine of range No. one west containing forty acres to have and to hold unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever. In testimony whereof of the said party of the first part have hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first aforesaid.

Alexander (X) R. Pratt and Mary(X) Pratt

[It appears that after 3 short years the property almost doubled in value. Why they choose to

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move and leave is unknown. Rinard and Frances were still alive and according to the 1860 census Alex stayed in the area. Cherokees were not farmers so farming probably did not appeal to Alexander.]

1860 Childbirth of son; Michael Pratt

Michael Pratt was born June 1860 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1860 Federal Census age 29

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 130, 26 July 1860, line 23; house 879, family 879

PRATTE, Alex w m 24; Mary w f 23; Mary w f 2; Michael w m 1/12

[Alex born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Alex and Mary could not read and write. Even though Alex is listed as a farmer, where he was living did not present a good farming area. Too many rocky hills to farm.]

1860-1870 Death of son; Michael Pratt

Sometime between the date of the 1860 census of 26 July 1860 and the 1870 census Michael Pratt died near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1861 Childbirth of son; Stonewall Jackson Pratt

Stonewall Jackson Pratt was born 16 September 1861 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1864 Military Medical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals for pension applications in Potosi, Mo. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the library at the University Of Missouri in the manuscript room at Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864

#57 Alex Pratt age 19 Diagnosis: Tuberculosis & debility."

[These medicals took place at Potosi, Washington, Missouri. Debility is weakness caused by long sickness. Alex is listed next to his brother John. Unknown why his age was given as 19. Apparently the Union Army was having trouble raising enough able-bodied men to fight or he was already in the war and was discharged due to medical condition. Since I can not find any Pratt's fighting in the Civil War for the white man, then probably this was all a ruse to avoid the civil war conflict.]

1865 Childbirth of daughter; Frances "Fannie" Minerva (PRATT)

Frances "Fannie" Minerva (PRATT) was born 6 June 1865 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Paulina Perlina "Lina" (PRATT)

Paulina Perlina "Lina" (PRATT) was born 9 May 1868 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of son; Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt

Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt was born 6 September 1869 near Osage Post Office, Johnson

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Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 39

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98a, 16 August 1870, line 31, house 106, family 106

PRATT, Alexander w m 37; Mary w f 35; Mary w f 13; Jackson w m 8; Fannie w f 4; Pelina w f 2; Winslow w m 8mos born in September

[All born in Missouri except Alexander born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Alex, Mary and daughter Mary could not read and write. Winslow was born in September. Living in close proximity to the John Record family and the Kimberlins.]

1872 Death of step-father; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt Blanton's second husband died on March 4, 1872 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and business man with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1873 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt

Rhinehart "Rinard" Pratt was born March 1873 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1873 Property Transaction

Hempstead County, Arkansas Warranty Deed, 3 July 1873 1/8 NE¼ SW¼ S30 T40 R1W James Blanton and wife Nancy H. Blanton sell forty acres of land in Washington County, Missouri to Alexander R. Pratt for sixty dollars, To wit: undivided 1/8 of the north east quarter of the south west quarter of section no. 30 township no. 40 range no. 1 west of the fifth principal meridian. 1/8 NE¼ SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

[This was part of Absalom Blanton's estate inheritance divided among his children after he died on 4 March 1872. Alexander bought out the Blanton descendants.]

1873 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "V", page 1-3, 4 October 1873

Heirs of Absalom Blanton deed to Alexander Pratt

Participants; Elbert S. Blanton and wife, Mary E. Blanton; John Allen and wife Elizabeth Allen; John E. Pratt and wife Caroline Pratt; John Blanton and wife, Margaret S. Blanton; William W. Blanton and wife, Mary A. Blanton; Alexander Blanton; Henry H. Blanton and wife, Matilda J. Blanton. Alexander R. Pratt paid them fifty dollars each for 40 acres in Washington Co., MO. To wit: One undivided eight 1/8 of the north half of section no. one of the south west quarter of section no. 30 in township no. 40 of range one west. 1/8 N½ S1 SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

1875 Death of mother; Nancy (CARTER**) Pratt Blanton**

Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt Blanton died on 17 November 1875 at Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States according to the 14 January 1876 Administrator's Bond in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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1876 Administrator's Bond for Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Washington County, Missouri, Administrator's Bond 14 January 1876

Affidavit: State of Missouri; County of Washington

Alexander R. Pratt, administrator of the estate of Nancy Blanton, deceased, being duly sworn, says that the said Nancy Blanton died intestate, and without leaving any will, at Washington County, Missouri Nov 17th A.D. 1875 leaving as her heirs Alex R. Pratt, Jane Blanton wife of Henry Blanton, Sarah A. Blanton wife of Jno. A. Blanton, Mary Blanton wife of Alfred Blanton & Jacob H., Fanny, R. A. & Nancy Pratt children of Jas. Pratt decd living in Washington County, Missouri and Catherine, Alexander, Absalom, Augustus, Queen, Isabella, Susan, Benjamin, Sarah, and Louisa Blanton children of Alex & Nancy M. Blanton and Susan Hansell residing in Crawford County, Missouri, and Lorinda Hull wife of Ira Hull residing in Laclede County, Missouri. And that he will make a perfect inventory of, and faithfully administer all the estate of the said Nancy Blanton, and pay the debts as far as the assets will extend and the law direct, and account for and pay all assets which shall come to his possession or knowledge. Alexander R. Pratt, X his mark

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie (PRATT)

Minnie (PRATT) was born 8 November 1876 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1876-1880 Death of spouse; Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Mary (KIMBERLIN) Pratt died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States probably after giving birth to daughter, Minnie (PRATT) in 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 49

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 85a, 10 June 1880, line 28, house 80, family 85

PRATT, Alexander head w m male 46; Stonewall J. son w m 19; Manerva dau w f 15; Polinia dau w f 13; Winslow son w m 11; Rhinard son w m 7; Minnie dau w f 4

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents in Virginia, all the rest born in Missouri, father born in Tennessee, mother born in Missouri. Alexander is a widower and a farmer. Living next door to his daughter's family; James & Mary E. (PRATT) Studdard.]

1885 Marriage of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt and Catherine Adaline (DUGAN)

Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 223

[1] Alexander Pratt and Miss Catherine Adeline Dugan were married on 20 August 1885 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

[2] Washington County - Marriage Records Volume 1 1881-1889 by Brian Oster / 223-2 Alexander Pratt of Johnson Twp., Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Miss Caroline Adeline Dugan of Johnson Twp., Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 7 August 1885 license; married on 20 August 1885 by Simon O'Farrell, JP at Hamilton
(<http://www.vienici.com/moabs/WildCard.asp>)

[Seems to be a discrepancy of enormous proportions. When I read their marriage record in 1976, I was new to research and as an untrained observer, I thought I saw her name as Mrs. Other researchers have now reported that the Mrs. was actually Miss which was a double "s" indicating she was a Miss not a Mrs. After viewing the actual record, I must now conclude that it is written as Miss not Mrs. I have found in the census records a Miss Catherine Adaline (DUGAN) in Franklin County, Missouri who was 20 years old. Alexander would have been 53 years old at the time of this marriage and surely the newspapers should have written an

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article about the discrepancy in age of this marriage. I have not had the time to check the Sullivan, Potosi, Bourbon or Steelville newspapers to verify any such article. However, if Adaline, the 20 year old in the census is the one he married...that would explain her ability to bear two children and dying young, from childbirth complications in 1892.]

1888 Childbirth of son; Carac Francis Pratt

Carac Francis Pratt was born 13 October 1888 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1892 Childbirth of son; Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt

Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt was born March 1892 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1892 Death of spouse; Catherine Adaline (DUGAN) Pratt

Catherine Adaline (DUGAN) Pratt died near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after March 1892 the birthdate her son; Cleveland and before 8 October 1892 the deed date where Alexander states he is single.

1892 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book , 8 October 1892, page
Warranty Deed: Alexander R. Pratt to Ross M. Crow All of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ part NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ S90 T40 R1W

This indenture made on the eighth day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two by and between Alexander R. Pratt of Washington County, Missouri party of the first part and Ross M. Crow of the County of Washington in the state of Missouri party of the second part, witness that the said party of the first part in consideration of the sum of one thousand dollars to him paid by the said party of the second part the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged and by these presents hereby grant, bargain and sell, convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns the following assigned lots, parcels or tracts of land lying and being the county of Washington and in the state of Missouri to wit: All of the south west quarter of the north west quarter [SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$] and part of the the north west quarter of the south west quarter [NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$] of section ninety [90] township forty [40] range one west [R1W] containing sixty-four [64] acres more or less. To have and to hold the premises aforesaid with all the rights, privileges, appurtenances and immunities that belonging in anyway pertaining unto the said party of the second part and unto his heirs and assigns forever. The said Alexander R. Pratt truly covenants that he is lawfully ??? in of an indefeasable estate in fee in the persons have conveyed that he has good right to convey the same that the said premises are free and clear of any incumbrances no one or suffered by him that makes a claim. And that he will warrant and defend to the said party of the second part of any claims by his heirs and assigns forever against any unlawful claims or all persons whomsoever. In witness that the party of the first part has set his hand and seal this day and year first above written.

Alexander R. Pratt his X mark

On this 8th day of October 1892 before me personally appeared Alexander R. Pratt to me known to be the person ascribed in and executed the forgoing instrument and acknowledged that he excuted the same as his free will and deed. Further said Alexander R. Pratt further declares himself to be single and unmarried. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my office seal at my office in Sullivan the day and year first above written.

Joseph V. Pits notary public

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[This deed declares that Alexander was single as of October 8, 1892. Therefore his wife had died probably from birth complications of her son; Cleveland Pratt who was born in March 1892 and the date of this deed 8 October 1892.]

1893 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book , 2 September 1893
Quit Claim Deed: Alexander R. Pratt to Ross M. Crow N½ of Lot 2 NW¼ of SW¼ S30 T40 R1W

Alexander R. Pratt sells 80 acres for one thousand dollars to Ross M. Crow. Land is in Washington County, Missouri even though this deed was filed in Franklin County. North half of lot No. 2, north west quarter of the south west quarter section 30 township 40 range one west containing eighty acres.[It appears after the death of Catherine, his second wife, Alexander sold off the old homestead in Hamilton Hollow to Ross Crow. After living the area since 1839 they moved to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States before the 19 June 1900 census date.]

1893-1900 Family Move

From Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census age 69

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27a, 19 June 1900, line 22, house 207, family 210

PRATT, Alexander head w m born March 1832 age 68; Ryneard son w m born March 1875 age 25; Carrick son w m born October 1888 age 11; Cleveland son w m born March 1892 age 8

[Alexander was born in Tennessee as was his parents. The rest of the boys were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee and their mother in Missouri. Alexander can not read or write and his farm house is rented. Rinard is the son of Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt and Carac and Cleveland are sons of Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) Pratt.]

1910 Federal Census age 79

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27a, 2 May 1910, line 60, house 242, family 244

PRATT, Henry W. head w m 37; Laura wife w f 35; Columbus son w m 16; Jessie L. son w m 15; Albert P. son w m 13; Virgil R. son w m 9; Henry A. son w m 7; Ruth J. dau w f 5; Mary S. dau w f 3; Alexander father w m 77

[All born in Missouri except father, Alexander born in Tennessee. Henry's father born in Tennessee as was the parents of Alexander. Henry & Laura have been married for 18 years. Henry says he owned his home and was a farmer. Henry could not read or write neither could Alexander. Laura says she has had 7 children born and 7 are living. Alexander is a widower. All children are single. Living next door to Henry's nephew; John Studdard.]

1910 Death of son; Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt

Cleveland "Cleve" Pratt died 1 October 1910 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1912 Death of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt died near Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United

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States in 1912.

[1] Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt died either the early part of 1912 (Jan-Mar) or the latter (Oct-Dec) according to his grandson, Fred Callahan. The roads were icy and they could not take his body back to Sullivan so they buried him the Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

[2] Date on metal plate at gravesite states 1831-1912 from gravesite marker at Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1912 Burial of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

His son, Carac, put metal marker at grave site. (see picture)

Alexander Pratt 1831-1912

The Death of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 1982

21 June 1982 Story about the death of Alexander Pratt

In 1982, I used to travel throughout the middle portion of Missouri tracking down ancestors and related families. One such family was Thomas Livey and Polina (**PRATT**) Callahan family; Alexander's daughter who had lived in Cheryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri for many years and had children who still lived in that area. One such child was Fred C. Callahan born 4 July 1907 in Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 29 January 1992 at Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States.

After receiving a reply to my newspaper ad looking for Alexander Pratt's grave from Elsie Conaway, who told me where the gravesite was located, I started to contact the Callahan family and drove to Cherryville to visit Fred Callahan on 21 June 1982. He related the following story to me about his grandpa...Alexander Pratt.

When Fred was a little boy...about 5 years old, Grandpa Alex (Alexander R. Pratt) came to visit his Mom and Dad (Lina & Tom Callahan) who lived near Cherryville, Missouri. Little Freddie used to "pick" on his Grandpa by climbing on him and playing with him like little grandchildren do with their grandpa. [I know from personal experience that my grandchildren; Brian and Jacob love to wrestle with me and get me down on the floor and climb on top of me and "beat me up". I've watched my father play with his great-grandchildren the same way.]

One day, Grandpa Alex was rockin' in a rockin' chair by the fireplace chewin' tobacco, when little Freddie ran into the kitchen where his mother was cookin' and said "Momma, sumptins wrong with Grandpa", Lina said, "You quit pickin' on Grandpa or I'll box your ears." They went into the front room and Lina found that Alex Pratt had died of a heart attack in his rocking chair. He was 79. This happened in 1912. Unknown if it was in the earlier part of the year or the winter months of the year.

Fred told me because the roads were slick with ice from an ice storm, they couldn't get the wagon with Alexander's body up the hills to take him back to his home in Sullivan to be buried, so they buried him in the Freeman Cemetery outside of Cherryville, Missouri. [I have driven' those roads at Cherryville and they are extremely steep and even hard to drive up them when the road is clear let alone when there is snow or sleet on the highway.]

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Carac Pratt, Alex's son from his second marriage, put a small metal marker at the grave site in 1975, which was still there when I visited the grave in 1982. Luckily, I took a picture of that metal placque because I have now been told that someone took the placque from the cemetery and it is missing. This is a drawing of where he is buried. It is now 2008, so I am trying to remember from my 1982 visit.

Freeman Cemetery

_____back fence_____

|| [†] |

big no graves |

tree in this area |

|__fence____entrance gate ____fence ____|

____Freeman Cemetery Road off of Highway 19____

His gravesite was about 3 or 4 in from the back fence towards the gate. I had made 2 attempts to find his grave. I had ridin' my motorcyle from Springfield, Missouri where I was living and operating an insurance agency.

On my first visit I walked all over the cemetery and found nothing. I had left the radio on the motorcycle and it was playing "rock" music and I was not in tune with the spirit and I was unsuccessful. There was a spot that I felt a strange feeling come over me but I didn't know why, there was nothing there.

On my second trip on a different day, this time, I left the radio off and Elsie Conaway came with me and showed me where he was buried. To my surprise, it was in the same spot I had previously searched but found nothing. There it was...the metal marker clearly sticking out of the ground. How did I miss it the first time? I do not know. Maybe I wasn't intune with the spirit and was blinded by the ways of the world and failed to see. I don't know.

That is the story on how Alexander Pratt became buried in the Freeman Cemetery, Cherryville, Crawford, Missouri, United States. There should be newspaper accounts of his death in the Sullivan, Bourbon, Steelville and/or Potosi newspapers. Those newspapers are kept at the State Historical Society in Cloumbia, Missouri and I had to travel to Columbia to get to read them. Usually I was permitted to have one day because I was a working father and had to raise a family at the same time I was trying to research my family line. I found some references to the Pratts, Blantons, Carters and other families in those papers but time prevented me from doing a thorough research. Maybe one day they will be online.-Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

1982 Newspaper Inquiry

[1] The Independent Journal, 119 East Hight Street, Potosi, Missouri, June 3, 1982, page 13 and

[2] The Independent Journal, 119 East Hight Street, Potosi, Missouri, May 27, 1982, page 11

"WANTED: The burial place of Alexander Pratt father of Winslow Pratt, was living on Crows Creek, died between 1910-1920. Reward of \$20 for information. Write: Floyd Pratt, 2926 W. Washita, Springfield, Missouri 65807."

[I ran this advertisement hoping to find where Alexander Pratt was buried. I was hoping to

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pinpoint a birth and death date. Up to this point all I had was census records and nothing else to go on. And you must remember, back in 1982 I was still light years ahead of other researchers who did not even know who Alexander Pratt was or whom he married. Two people answered my ad and wrote back to me informing me of the location of Alexander's gravesite. The first was Elsie E. Conaway; born 31 October 1925 and died February 1988 from Cherryville and the second was Margaret Wagner from Sullivan, Missouri. Neither one wanted the \$20 and when I drove out to see Elsie, she took me to where his gravesite was located. Whoa!! [I am still in coorespondence with Margaret Wagner as of this day 4 July 2010.]

But first I am getting ahead of myself. When Elsie wrote to me and told me where his grave was located I decided to ride my 750cc Honda Goldwing motorcycle up from Springfield, where I lived, to Cherryville. I remember going up highway 19 and getting off at the Cemetery. I had a radio on my Honda and I was fond of rock music, loud...rock music and of course everyone knows that rock music is not conducive to the Holy Ghost and when I arrived at the cemetery, I left my radio on and walked the entire cemetery looking for Alexander Pratt's grave. I thoroughly looked at each grave site in anticipation of finding his grave after all these years but something was wrong and I couldn't find him. I went over and over the cemetery checking carefully each headstone and marker and he was not there. At one point of my search, I remember walking straight towards the back of the cemetery fence and felt a strange sensation at about 2 or 3 graves in but did not see any marker or headstone. I was dissapointed to say the least and drove back home after doing more research that day and was despondent.

I called Elsie and told her I could not find the gravesite and she offered to take me there in person. So, sometime later, a week, a few days I don't remember, I rode my motorcycle back up to the cemetery and met Elsie, but this time I did not play rock music. And to my surprise she took me right to the spot that I had felt a strange sensation before but could not see the marker and lo and behold there it was...a steel metal marker which said "Alexander Pratt 1831-1912".

I became very humbled and realized how grateful I was to my Heavenly Father for allowing me to see the marker and to Elsie for taking the time to show me his gravesite. Why didn't I see it before? It must have been there. It's been there since Carac put in there before 1975. I believe the reason I didn't see it the first time was because my spirit was not in harmony with the Holy Ghost and I was not ready. After humbling myself, the Lord blessed me and we found the marker. Those of you who know what I am talking about...understand. I took a Polaroid picture of the marker and have it at this day. It is included in the pictures of Alexander Pratt's collection. Sadly, I was told that someone has taken the marker and it is lost. This is a true story-Floyd Thomas Pratt

PS: In appreciation Elsie (**WORLEY**) Conaway and Fred C. Callahan have had their temple work completed.

Orville Carac Pratt

I found another grandson of Alexander Pratt living in Bethalto, Illinois. Sometime in the 1980's I made a trip and visited with Orville Carac Pratt, son of Carac Francis Pratt. Carac Francis Pratt was the last known living child of Alexander & Catherine Adaline (DUGAN) Pratt. Orville related the following information about his Grandpa Alexander Pratt. Orville said his father; Carac told him that Alexander was a big man 6' 4" tall and weighed about 240lbs. Alex

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was a blacksmith, autioneer, and ran a threshing seperator rig for a while. Since Carac made railroad ties then probably he learned this from his father. Carac also told him that his dad, Alex made the gold rush to California in 1849. [If Alex made the gold rush maybe that's where his father Henry Pratt died. Maybe his dad went with him to California because Alex was only 17 years in 1849.]

Research Speculation

[In close proximity to Lick Creek in Greene County, Tennessee, next door to the Carter family, the Harmon family and the Blanton family, there was James & Ann (**GIBSON**) Pratt family from Rockingham County, North Carolina. A few years before Henry Pratt and Nancy (**CARTER**) were married on October 3, 1820 in Greene County, Tennessee, there was a Robert Pratt and Alexander Pratt getting married in Greene County, Tennessee. The question is; does the "R." in Alexander's middle name represent his uncle...Robert? Was Alexander named after another uncle...Alexander? Was Henry Pratt the son of James & Ann (**GIBSON**) Pratt since he named his first son James? Futher research into this family needs to take place in the historical archives of Greene County, Tennessee.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008]

My Tribute to the Ambrose Marion Pennock Family

Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008
When my 2nd great grandfather, Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt bought 40 acres from William & Martha () Hughes on 22 May 1856, this property transaction had a great deal more intrigue and suspense than a normal property transfer.

My 2ggfather, Alex was 1/2 Cherokee and Native Americans were not allowed to buy or own property.

When the Pratts were forced from their home in Monroe County, Tennessee by bayonets, they were force marched on the "Trail of Tears" from September 1938 to March 1939, this has been documented by personal journals of those who accompanied the Pratts on that journey.

When they arrived in the portion of Crawford County, Missouri which later became Washington County, before the 1840 census date, they settled near the local family of Rinard (Rhinehart) & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberling family.

The Kimberlings hailed from Botetourt County, Virginia and had been in Missouri since 1825 and settled in the Richwoods Township area of Washington County where Alexander's father, Henry Pratt shows up in the 1840 census. Rinard later moved to Johnson Township and the Pratts followed.

One of Henry's sons; James Pratt took a liking to one of Rinard's daughter's; Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**). But, Rinard was not going to let James Pratt a Cherokee marry his daughter unless he settled down. I guess Catherine was relentless in her pleadings to her father and he finally consented to the marriage and James & Catherine were married sometime between 1847-1848. [No record has been located].

On 25 February 1854, Rinard sold 23 acres to his son-n-law, James Pratt. This was the first property transaction found for the Pratts. Their father, Henry Pratt never owned property because he was full blooded Cherokee and it was against tribal custom and government law.

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[Cherokees felt that everyone in the tribe owned the land and therefore it could not be bought or sold.]

Alexander, encouraged by James' success with land purchase but more intrigued by another of Rinard's daughter, Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) wanted to seek her hand in marriage. Rinard realizing that he wanted good stable husbands for his daughters, informed Alex that he had to purchase property and settle down, BEFORE, he would permit his daughter to marry him.

So, on 22 May 1856, Alexander purchased 40 acres from William Hughes and a little more than 1 month later, on 28 June 1856 he married Mary (**KIMBERLIN**). So these 40 acres were the original homestead of Alexander R. & Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.

Cherokees are not very good farmers and after trying to conform to the farming life, Alexander decided this wasn't for him and about that time a new family arrived in the Johnson Township area looking for good land to build a future. This is where the Ambrose Marion Pennock family purchased the old homestead of the Alexander Pratt family on 18 March 1859.

Alexander Pratt stayed in the Johnson Township area of Washington County until after his second wife...Catherine Adaline (**DUGAN**) Pratt died in 1892. He then moved to the Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri area to be closer to his son, Henry Winslow Pratt family and Alexander died in 1912.

As you see, because of the friendship our ancestors shared with others, the Ambrose Marion Pennock family will always have a special place in the hearts of the Pratts, this friendship transcends generations and binds our families together forever. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

Blanton Hollow now known as Hamilton Hollow

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

There are two cemeteries on the hills at Hamilton Hollow across from each other. One is called Hamilton Cemetery and the other is the Blanton Cemetery. There are only a few headstones that have survived but both have many indentations in the ground where people have been buried.

Since the Pratt's were of Cherokee ancestry, the government made sure that native indians were not allowed to prosper. This included preventing them from voting, buying and selling land, holding legal offices and even buying fishing licenses and they suffered other abuses kin to the way the whites treated the blacks.

Therefore, there were many mixed native families living in the 39th and 40th townships of Johnson Township in Washington County, Missouri. These families found a common bond by seeking refuge from the abuses of the whites by living in close proximity. Only by marrying into local white families did these mixed natives begin to gain acceptance after the turn of the century.

In the meantime, they survived by hunting and cutting ties and staves for the railroad and mining companies.

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My grandfather; Columbus Benjamin Alexander Pratt known as "Lum" to his friends was not only taught those trades by his father; Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt but also became known as an accomplished concrete and rock mason. My dad has shown me many structures still standing in Bourbon and the surrounding community that my grandfather had built.

Hamilton Hollow was named after the Hamilton Iron Works Mining Company who purchased the land from Absalom Blanton's son; Alexander A. Blanton Sr. in 1872 which comprised of property around Henry Pratt's log cabin and Absalom Blanton's mansion which has now become known in these latter days as Hamilton Hollow.

The old maps of the region show that the hollow was named Blanton Hollow in honor of Absalom Blanton and the creek the Blanton Creek. Near the creek is a cold water spring now called Pratt Spring named by the Missouri Corps of Engineers in honor of where Henry Pratt had built his log cabin on the bluff above. The large cave near the spring is named Pratt Cave.

Absalom Blanton had bought this property on 3 November 1849 and developed a mining operation which employed many in the area. He built a large mansion with a winding staircase, which has been written in numerous local newspapers.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.
2009

(bio by: Floyd Thomas Pratt, F.H.C., M.A.G.I.)

Family links:

Children:

Mary Pratt Studdard (1857 - 1928)*

Stonewall Jackson Pratt (1860 - 1941)*

Henry Winslow Pratt (1869 - 1914)*

*Calculated relationship

Burial: Freeman Cemetery Cherryville Crawford County Missouri, USA

- 20 M vi. **Michael "Mike" L. Kimberlin** was born 21 August 1835 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, died 17 January 1885 in Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 49, and was buried in January 1885 in Berryman Cemetery, Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

Michael "Mike" L. Kimberlin...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2010

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

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For additional information on the Kimberlin and related families read the following "**Hans Jacob Kummerlein and Descendants Volume 2 of the Pratt Progenitor Papers Series**" can be accessed at <https://openlibrary.org/people/floydpratt59/lists> under the list... **Pratt Progenitor Papers**

For additional information on the Kimberlin and related families read the following "**Rhinehart "Rinard" Kimberlin and Descendants Volume 18 of the Pratt Progenitor Papers Series**" can be accessed at <https://openlibrary.org/people/floydpratt59/lists> under the list... **Pratt Progenitor Papers**

1835 Birthblock of Michael "Mike" L. Kimberlin son of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Michael "Mike" L. Kimberling was born in either Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

Date from 1840 census states he was born in 1830-1835.

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1834.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in (Can not find him in the 1860 census!)

Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1834.

Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1835.

Date from headstone states he was born August 21, 1835.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1835 Childbirth of sister: Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown sister (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of sister: Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of

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Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship. When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother.

After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 5

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 5]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri

Acres: 78.96 Accession Number: MO0720___. 124 Metes and Bounds: No Land

Office: St. Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No

Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948

Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM

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Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM
Counties Washington North East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section 30 in
Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint
Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an
acre. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of brother; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Township,
Washington County, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October
1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred
dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River
of section thirteen in township forty of range two
west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty
seven acres and seven hundredths of an acre. [This property is located in what is
now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri
Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds:No Land
Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No
Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:15803
Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM
Counties: Franklin, Washington
the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1
West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty
acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington
counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February
1848

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel
Hibler, for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the
North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w,
containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now
known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 15

Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29
October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22;_Jacob w m
19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were
farmers.]

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1858 Marriage of Michael "Mike" L. Kimberlin and Minerva Jane (SUMMERS) daughter of William Henderson and Malinda Ann (PINSON) Summers

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book Volume "B" 1844-1862, page 327

Mr. Michael Kimberland & Miss Monerva Jane Summers; married on 7 October 1858 by C. B. Lumpkin, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri, Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Mr Michael Kimberland Marriage Date: 7 Oct 1858 Marriage Place: Washington, Missouri, USA Registration Place: Washington, Missouri, USA Spouse: Mr Minerva Jane Samson

Locating the Birth Location of Children

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The best way to determine where the children were born in-between the census dates is to look at the deed books of the counties involved, Checking the deed books in the county they were living in the earliest recorded census for any and all property transactions concerning your subject should reveal the exact property locations your subject had purchased thereby giving you a good indication where their homestead was located.

Following each subsequent year since the first census date and checking for additional property purchases will help you to familiarize yourself with your ancestor's residence locale. When you have located a sale transaction of their homestead property in that county, meaning the last recorded record for your ancestor's property transactions, then it is time to go to the county listed in the next subsequent census data.

Checking the "new" county they moved to should reveal your ancestor's first property transaction. This property transaction could have taken place prior to the census date so be mindful your ancestor was already living on their new property BEFORE the census date. If they left that county and moved to a different county before the next census date, then repeat your investigation into each deed books of each county, thereby giving you a good indication of their movements and birth locations of their children.

Sometimes these deed records even list death information concerning your ancestors and marriage information including dates, and/or locations of these events. I have also seen additional family members listed in these recorded documents and sometimes when the property is the ancestor's first transaction, the recorder will list the ancestor's original location such as a state, county or city from where they originated.

When you have found the original homestead location of your ancestor, don't

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

overlook the opportunity to go to that property and walk the homestead for additional clues as to their lifestyle.

Sometimes-family burial plots have been located on these properties, which have not been recorded on any map, and you might find family heirlooms in and around the old home if the foundation is still standing. Coins, pottery, jewelry, pictures and other items of interest to the family history researcher have been located during such excursions.

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1859 Childbirth of son; John Franklin Kimberlin

John Franklin Kimberlin was born in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 18 October 1859.

1860 Federal Census age 25

1860-1870 Family Move

From near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

Research Note

Since we cannot locate Michael Kimberlin family in the 1860 census our best guess as to their residence location is his 1863 Civil War Draft Registration form, which indicates he was living near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri. Checking the deed books of Washington County after 1850 and before 1860 might indicate when he sold his property holdings in Johnson Township and checking the deed books of Crawford County after 1860 might reveal when he first bought property in Meramec Township and where they were living...giving us the location of the subsequent children's birth location.

1861 Childbirth of son; William Henderson Kimberlin

William Henderson Kimberlin was born near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 24 February 1861.

1863 Childbirth of daughter; Mary E. (KIMBERLIN)

Mary E. (KIMBERLIN) was born near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 9 May 1863.

1863 U.S., Civil War Draft Registrations Records, 1863-1865

Name: Michael Kimberlin Residence: Steelville, Crawford, Missouri Class: 1
Congressional District: 2nd Age on 1 July 1863: 26 Estimated birth year: abt 1837
Race: White Marital Status: Married Place of Birth: Missouri

1866 Childbirth of son; Charles "Charley" Edward Kimberlin

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Charles "Charley" Edward Kimberlin was born near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 29 September 1866.

1868 Childbirth of son; Valentine "Val" Summers Kimberlin

Valentine "Val" Summers Kimberlin near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 18 February 1868.

1860-1870 Family Move

From near Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States to near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

1870 Federal Census age 35

Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 4 & 5, 19 July 1870, house 28

KIMBERLAN, Mike w m 36; Minerva w f 32; John w m 11; William w m 9; Mary C. w f 7; Charles C. w m 4; Valentine w m 2
[All born in Missouri. Michael is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of son; Joseph Anderson Kimberlin

Joseph Anderson Kimberlin was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 18 December 1870.

1873 Childbirth of son; James Henry Kimberlin

James Henry Kimberlin was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 26 September 1873.

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Julia May (KIMBERLIN)

Julia May (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 2 April 1876.

1870-1880 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States to near Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

1880 Federal Census age 45

Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 28, 28 June 1880, house 237, family 242

KIMBERLIN, Michael head w m 45; Minerva wife w f 43; John F. son w m 20; William H. son w m 19; Mary C. dau w f 17; Charles E. son w m 13; Valentine S. son w m 10; Joseph A. son w m 9; James H. son w m 6; Julia A. dau w f 4
[All born in Missouri. Michael is a farmer.]

1882 Childbirth of son; Reuben Harmon Kimberlin

Reuben Harmon Kimberlin was born near Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 6 April 1882.

1885 Death of Michael L. Kimberlin

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Michael L. Kimberlin died in Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 17 January 1885.

[1] Date from headstone states he died Jan 17, 1885.

1885 Burial of Michael L. Kimberlin

Berryman Cemetery, Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

Kimberline, Michael Aug 21, 1835--Jan 17, 1885

Kimberline, Minerva J. Sep 18, 1837--Oct 17, 1909

1970 Source

"History of Forest Hill and Vicinity" by John Steele McCormick © 1970, page 392:

Minerva Summers married Mike Kimberlin Children (surname KIMBERLIN): James, Joe, Reuben, Val, Mamie. [Note error: Mamie is Valentine's daughter--Tom Pratt]

1885 Missouri, Wills and Probate Records, 1766-1988

Name: Michael Kimberlin Probate Date: 5 Feb 1885 Probate Place: Crawford, Missouri, USA Inferred Death Year: Abt 1885 Inferred Death Place: Missouri, USA
Item Description: Administrators Bonds, 1875-1900

Find A Grave Memorial# 10404420 Created by: Phillip H. Pitzer Record added: Jan 30, 2005

Michael L. Kimberlin Birth: Aug. 21, 1835 Washington County Missouri, USA
Death: Feb. 5, 1885 Berryman (Crawford County) Crawford County Missouri, USA
Michael L. Kimberlin son of Rinard/Renard Kimberlin and Frances Peters married 7 October 1858 in Washington Co., Missouri, to Minerva Jane Summers, daughter of William H. Summers and Malinda Pinson. Michael and Minerva had nine offspring: John Franklin Kimberlin, William Henderson Kimberlin, Mary G. Kimberlin, Charles Edward Kimberlin, Volentine Summers Kimberlin, Joseph Anderson Kimberlin, James Harrison Kimberlin, Julia May Kimberlin, and Reben Harman Kimberlin. For more information visit Pitzer website. Family links:
Children: William Henderson Kimberlin (1861 - 1926) Burial: Berryman Cemetery Berryman (Crawford County) Crawford County Missouri, USA

Michael married **Minerva Jane (SUMMERS)**, daughter of **William Henderson Summers** and **Marinda Ann (PINSON)**, 7 October 1858 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Minerva was born 18 September 1837 near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, died 17 October 1909 near Berryman, Walton Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 72, and was buried in October 1909 in Berryman Cemetery, Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

Minerva Jane (SUMMERS),,,Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2010

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All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

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Date from the 1840 census states she was born

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Date from the 1860 census states she was born

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Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1837 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born September 18, 1837

Date from the obituary states she was born

1840 Federal Census age 3

1840 Childbirth of brother; Elijah Pinson Summers

Elijah Pinson Summers was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1840.

1843 Childbirth of brother; William P. Summers

William P. Summers was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 8 May 1843.

1846 Childbirth of brother; Charles Edward Summers

Charles Edward Summers was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 24 May 1846.

1848 Childbirth of sister; Mary Emeline "Emma" (SUMMERS)

Mary Emeline "Emma" (SUMMERS) was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on November 1848.

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1850 Federal Census age 13

Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, page 159a, 31 October 1850, line 5, house 983, family 983

SIMMERS, William H. w m 45; Malinda w f 30; Elizabeth J. w f 14; Maneva J. w f 12; Elijah w m 10; William w m 8; Charles w m 6; Mary w f 2

[All born in Missouri except Malinda born in Kentucky. William is a farmer. Living a few doors down from Noah & Pheobe (**HARMON**) Harper family.]

1850 Childbirth of brother; George Washington Summers

George Washington Summers was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 1850.

1853 Childbirth of sister; Julia A. (SUMMERS)

Julia A. (**SUMMERS**) was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 1853.

1856 Childbirth of sister; Elizabeth Lavina "Liza" (SUMMERS)

Elizabeth Lavina "Liza" (**SUMMERS**) was born near Undine, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1856.

1858 Marriage of Minerva Jane (SUMMERS) amd Michael "Mike" L. Kimberlin son of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book Volume "B" 1844-1862, page 327 Mr. Michael Kimberland & Miss Monerva Jane Summers; married on 7 October 1858 by C. B. Lumpkin, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri, Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Mr Michael Kimberland Marriage Date: 7 Oct 1858 Marriage Place: Washington, Missouri, USA Registration Place: Washington, Missouri, USA Spouse: Mr Minerva Jane Samson

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1859 Childbirth of brother; John Franklin "Frank" Summers

John Franklin "Frank" Summers was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 20 March 1859.

1859 Childbirth of son; John Franklin Kimberlin

John Franklin Kimberlin was born in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 18 October 1859.

1860 Federal Census age 23

1861 Childbirth of son; William Henderson Kimberlin

William Henderson Kimberlin was born Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 24 February 1861.

1862 Childbirth of brother; Richard Lee "Uncle Pea" Summers

Richard Lee "Uncle Pea" Summers was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 19 May 1862.

1863 Childbirth of daughter; Mary E. (KIMBERLIN)

Mary E. (KIMBERLIN) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 9 May 1863.

1866 Chilbirth of son; Charles "Charley" Edward Kimberlin

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Charles "Charley" Edward Kimberlin was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 29 September 1866.

1867 Childbirth of sister: Susan Maranda (SUMMERS)

Susan Maranda (**SUMMERS**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 9 February 1867.

1860-1870 Family Move

From near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States to near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

Research Note

Checking the deed records of Washington County to see when Michael Kimberlin sold his property holdings in Johnson Township and the deed records of Crawford County to see when he purchased property in Liberty Township would give you a good time indication when they left Johnson Township, Washington County and moved to Liberty Township in Crawford County, Missouri.

1868 Childbirth of son: Valentine "Val" Summers Kimberlin

Valentine "Val" Summers Kimberlin was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 18 February 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 33

Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 4 & 5, 19 July 1870, house 28

KIMBERLAN, Mike w m 36; Minerva w f 32; John w m 11; William w m 9; Mary C. w f 7; Charles C. w m 4; Valentine w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Michael is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of son: Joseph Anderson Kimberlin

Joseph Anderson Kimberlin was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 18 December 1870.

1873 Childbirth of son: James Henry Kimberlin

James Henry Kimberlin was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 26 September 1873.

1876 Childbirth of daughter: Julia May (KIMBERLIN)

Julia May (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 2 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 43

Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 28, 28 June 1880, house 237, family 242

KIMBERLIN, Michael head w m 45; Minerva wife w f 43; John F. son w m 20; William H. son w m 19; Mary C. dau w f 17; Charles E. son w m 13; Valentine S. son w m 10; Joseph A. son w m 9; James H. son w m 6; Julia A. dau w f 4

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1882 Childbirth of son: Reuben Harmon Kimberlin

Reuben Harmon Kimberlin was born near Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 6 April 1882.

1885 Death of spouse: Michael L. Kimberlin

Michael L. Kimberlin died in Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 17 January 1885.

1900 Federal Census age 63

1909 Death of Minerva Jane (SUMMERS) Kimberlin

Minerva Jane (SUMMERS) Kimberlin died near Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 17 October 1909.

[1] Date from headstone states she died 17 October 1909.

1909 Burial of Minerva Jane (SUMMERS) Kimberlin

Berryman Cemetery, Berryman, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

Kimberline, Michael Aug 21, 1835--Jan 17, 1885

Kimberline, Minerva J. Sep 18, 1837--Oct 17, 1909

Find A Grave Memorial# 10404470 Created by: Phillip H. Pitzer Record added: Jan 30, 2005

Minerva Jane Summers Kimberlin Birth: Sep. 18, 1837 Kentucky, USA Death: Oct. 17, 1909 Berryman (Crawford County) Crawford County Missouri, USA Minerva Jane Summers, daughter of William H. Summers and Malinda Pinson married 7 October 1858 in Washington Co., Missouri, to Michael L. Kimberlin son of Rinard/Renard Kimberlin and Frances Peters. Minerva and Michael had nine offspring: John Franklin Kimberlin, William Henderson Kimberlin, Mary G. Kimberlin, Charles Edward Kimberlin, Volentine Summers Kimberlin, Joseph Anderson Kimberlin, James Harrison Kimberlin, Julia May Kimberlin, and Reben Harman Kimberlin. For more information visit Pitzer website. Family links: Children: William Henderson Kimberlin (1861 - 1926) Burial: Berryman Cemetery Berryman (Crawford County) Crawford County Missouri, USA

- 21 F vii. **Nancy (KIMBERLIN)** was born in 1837 in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States and died in 1882-1900 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 45.

Nancy (KIMBERLIN)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2010

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1836 Birthblock for Nancy (KIMBERLIN) daughter of Rinard E. & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberlin

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Nancy (**KIMBERLING**) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1836.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1836-1840.

Date from 1850 census states she was born in 1837 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born in 1836 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states she was born in 1840 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born in 1836 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother.

After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 4

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 4]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri

Acres: 78.96 Accession Number: MO0720___.124 Metes and Bounds: No Land

Office: St. Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No

Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948 Legal

Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties

Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties

Washington North East $\frac{1}{4}$ of the North West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 30 in Township Forty of

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Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two

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1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Renard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 February 1848 State of Record: Missouri

Acres: 40 Accession Number: MO0830___.442 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St.

Louis Canceled: No US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24,

1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 15803 Legal Land

Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington

the South East $\frac{1}{4}$ of the South West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848

Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1850 Federal Census age 14

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m 19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1854 Marriage James "Jim" Pollard and Nancy (KIMBERLIN)

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 153

Mr. James Pollard & Nancy Kimberlin both of Washington Co., Mo. and both of lawful age; married on 20 October 1854 by V. S. Carter, MG of the M. E. Church South at Washington Co., Mo.

1856 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" Pollard

Rhinehart "Rinard" Pollard was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 October 1856.

1858 Childbirth of son; Joseph Pollard

Joseph Pollard was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 2 March 1858.

1860 Childbirth of daughter Mary Frances "Fannie" (POLLARD)

Mary Frances "Fannie" (**POLLARD**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 7 June 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 24

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 17, house 875, family 876

POLLARD, James w m 23; Nancy w f 24; Rhinard w m 5; Joseph w m 2; Mary w f 1 month; Catherine w f 40

[All born in Missouri except Catherine born in Kentucky. James is a farmer. Living a few doors down from Rinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin family.]

1863-1865 Death of spouse; James "Jim" Pollard

James Pollard died probably in the Civil War between 1863; the conception of his daughter Fannie and 16th August 1870 census date.

1870 Federal Census age 34

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98a, 16 August 1870, line 4, house 101, family 101

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 60; Frances w f 66; **POLLARD**, Nancy w f 30; Renard w m 14; Joseph w m 10; Fannie w f 7

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard is a farmer. Living next door to son, Joseph Kimberlin and a few doors down from Alexander & Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt family.]

1872 Marriage of Joseph C. Scott and widow Mrs. Nancy (KIMBERLIN) Pollard

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 214

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Mr. Joseph C. Scott & Mrs. Nancy Pollard; married on 24 March 1872 by John M. Anthony, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

1873 Childbirth of daughter; Jane "Jannie" C. (SCOTT)

Jane "Jannie" C. (SCOTT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 September 1873.

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Cora Anderson (SCOTT)

Cora Anderson (SCOTT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on August 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 44

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 88b, 16 June 1880, line 34, house 137, family 143

SCOTT, Joseph A. head w m 52; Nancy wife w f 44; Fanny dau w f 18; Julia A. dau w f 18; Charles E. son w m 11; Jane C. dau w f 7; Cora dau w f 3

[Joseph born in Kentucky, his parents in Virginia, Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Virginia, the rest all born in Missouri their father in Kentucky their mother in Missouri. Joseph is a farmer. Should be noted unless Joseph Scott adopted the oldest three children their surnames are Pollard from Nancy's first marriage to James Pollard. Jane and Cora are Joseph and Nancy's children.]

1882 Childbirth of son; Ira Scott

Ira Scott was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 14 November 1882.

1882-1900 Death of Nancy (KIMBERLIN) Pollard Scott

Nancy (KIMBERLIN) Pollard Scott died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the birth of son; Ira Scott in 14 November 1882 and before 1 June 1900, census date.

Research Note

Checking the local newspapers should reveal additional information about Nancy's death date and location. When looking at the newspapers for the 1882-1900 time period go ahead and check the 1900-1910 newspapers for information about spouse; Joseph C. Scott. He also died after 1900 and before the 1910 census date. It appears no one put up a headstone for either one of them.

Nancy married **James "Jim" Pollard**, son of **James Pollard** and **Catherine (ISGRIGGS)**, 20 October 1854 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. James was born in 1837-1838 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States and died in 1863-1865 in probably Civil War at age 26.

James "Jim" Pollard...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1837-1838 Birthblock for James "Jim" Pollard son of James & Catherine (ISGRIGGS) Pollard

James Pollard was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837-1838.

Date from the 1840 census states he was born

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1838 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1837 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1840 Federal Census age 2

1835-1850 Death of father; James Pollard

James Pollard died after his marriage circa 1836 and before the 1850 census where his widow is living with her parents.

1850 Federal Census age 12

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 158b, 31 October 1850, line 15, house 977, family 977

ISGRIGGS, Henry w m 65; Sarah w f 63; Catherine w f 30; **POLLARD**, James w m 12

[Henry and James born in Missouri the rest born in Kentucky.]

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[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 153

Mr. James Pollard & Nancy Kimberlin both of Washington Co., Mo. and both of lawful age;

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1860 Federal Census age 22

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 17, house 875, family 876

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1month; Catherine w f 40

[All born in Missouri except Catherine born in Kentucky. James is a farmer. Living a few doors

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down from Rinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin family.]

1863-1865 Death of James "Jim" Pollard

James Pollard died probably in the Civil War between 1863; the conception of his daughter Annie and 16th August 1870 census date.

Research Note

Checking the local newspapers from 1860 to 1870 for information concerning James Pollard in Washington County, Missouri might reveal information about his death. Also, checking the court records might reveal, something about him. I looked at the Civil War records but there were too many James Pollards to determine which one if any belongs to him.

Nancy next married **Joseph C. Scott**, son of **William Childress Scott** and **Johanna Isabell Forsythe**, 24 March 1872 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Joseph was born in September 1825 in Christian County, Kentucky, United States and died in 1900-1910 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 75.

Joseph C. Scott...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1829 Birthblock for Joseph C. Scott son of William Childress & Johanna Isabell (FORSYTHE) Scott

Joseph C. Scott was born in Christian, Kentucky, United States in September 1825.
Date from 1830 census states he was born in 1826-1830.
Date from 1840 census states he was born in 1826-1830.
Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1829 in Kentucky.
Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1832 in Kentucky.
Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1832 in Kentucky.
Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1828 in Kentucky.
Date from 1900 census states he was born in September 1825 in Kentucky.
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1827 Childbirth of sister; Susan E. (SCOTT)

Susan E. (**SCOTT**) was born in Christian, Kentucky, United States in 1827.

1826-1830 Childbirth of unknown brother1; _____ Scott

1826-1830 Childbirth of unknown brother2; _____ Scott

1830 Federal Census age 1

Christian, Kentucky, United States, page 49, 1 June 1830, line 1
SCOTT, William C. 3-1-0-0-0-1 1-1-1-0-0-1

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free white males 4 & under [unknown son1]; 4 & under [unknown son2]; 4 & under [Joseph C. age 1]; 5-9 [Robert Henry age 7]; 30-39 [William age 40]
free white females 4 & under [Susan E. age 2]; 5-9 [Drucilla Jane age 9]; 10-14 [Mary F. age 11]; 30-39 [Johanna age 35]

1831 Childbirth of brother; Morgan Hendrick Scott

Morgan Hendrick Scott was born near Hopkinsville, Christian, Kentucky, United States on 24 February 1831.

1833 Childbirth of brother; John William Scott

John William Scott was born near Hopkinsville, Christian, Kentucky, United States on May 1833.

1833 Childbirth of brother; James Scott

James Scott was born near Hopkinsville, Christian, Kentucky, United States on 1833.

1839 Childbirth of sister; Isabella S. (SCOTT)

Isabella S. (SCOTT) was born near Hopkinsville, Christian, Kentucky, United States on January 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 11

Christian, Kentucky, United States, page 195, 1 June 1840, line 19

SCOTT, William C. 0-2-2-0-1-0-0-1 1-0-0-1-0-1

free white males 5-9 [??]; 5-9 [James age 7]; 10-14 [Morgan age 9]; 10-14 [Joseph C. age 11]; 20-29 [George William age 23]; 50-59 [William age 50]

free white females 4 & under [Isabelle age 1]; 15-19 [Susan age 15]; 30-39 [Johanna age 45]
[A few doors down from Spencer & Mary F. (**SCOTT**) Scott family.]

1843-1850 Family Move

From Christian, Kentucky, United States to Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1850 Federal Census age 21

Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 143a, 12 October 1850, line 18; house 762, family 762

SCOTT, Wm C. w m 60; Joanah w f 55; Susan E. w f 25; Joseph w m 21; Morgan w m 19; Isabella w f 11; John w m 7

[William and Johanna were born in Virginia, all the rest were born in Kentucky. William is a farmer. Living next door to Spencer [33] & Mary F. [31] (**SCOTT**) Scott family.]

1850-1860 Death of mother; Johanna Isabell (FORSYTHE) Scott

Johanna Isabell (**FORSYTHE**) Scott died in Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 12 October 1850 census date and 28 July 1860 census date.

1858 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: William C Scott Issue Date: 15 January 1858 State of Record: Missouri Acres: 38.75

Accession Number: MO3800__491 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: Jackson Canceled: No

US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number: 22849 Legal Land Description: Section 5, Twp 37-N, Range 1-East;

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Meridian 5th PM, Counties Washington

"the west half of the lot number one (1) of the north east quarter (NE¼) of section five (5) in township thirty seven north (37N) of range one east (1E) in the district of lands subject to sale at Jackson, Missouri containing thirty eight acres and seventy five hundreths of an acre. (38.75)"

1860 Federal Census age 31

Cuba Post Office, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 1, [no date] line 11, house 885, family 878

STILES, E. D. w m 45; Edna w f 35; L. J. 21; H S 18; **SCOTT**, Joseph w m 28;

SAVENDER, James 30 **SHUMAKER**, Jas 46

[The Stiles family were born in Pennsylvania, Joseph was born in Kentucky, James Savender was born in Pennsylvania and James Shumaker was born in New York. Joseph and James Shumaker are carpenters.]

1860 Marriage of Joseph C. Scott and Hester Ann (MUDD)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 117

Joseph C. Scott and Hester Ann M_____ all of Crawford Co., Mo.; married on 20 November 1860 by G. W. Browne, Minister at Crawford Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Hester Ann M?? Marriage Date:20 Nov 1860 Marriage County:Crawford Spouse

Name:Joseph C Scott

Research Note

This marriage record is vital to finding her maiden name and her maiden name has been obscured with an ink blot over the name. It is clearly visible the maiden name starts with an M followed by several unknown letters which are hard to read due to the poor handwriting. It appears that outside sources are needed to find her maiden name. Unable to locate Fanny's death certificate, Julia died before death certificates were recorded, Charels' death certificate has ommited his mother's name. Newspapers would be the best source for locating an article on the following;

[A] Announcing the marriage of Joseph C. Scott and Hester Ann (**MUDD**). (1860) (Steelville)

[B] Announcing the death of Hester Ann (**MUDD**) Scott (1868-1870) (Cuba)

[C] Announcing the death of Julia A. (**SCOTT**) Pratt (1882) (Potosi)

[D] Announcing the birth of any of the 3 children. (1862) and (1868) (Cuba)

[E] Obituary for Charles Edward Scott (1934) (Potosi)

[F] Obituary for Joseph C. Scott (1900-1910) (Potosi or Steelville)

Concerning the location of the newspapers, my choice would be 1st Cuba, Steelville, Potosi, Sullivan.

1862 Childbirth of daughter: Fanny (SCOTT) twin

Fanny (**SCOTT**) (twin) was born in near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 26 January 1862.

1862 Childbirth of daughter: Julia Ann (SCOTT) twin

Julia Ann (**SCOTT**) (twin) was born in near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 26 January 1862.

1868 Childbirth of son: Charles Edward Scott

Charles Edward Scott was born near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri,

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United States on 27 August 1868.

1869-1870 Death of Hester Ann (MUDD) Scott

Hester Ann (**MUDD**) Scott died near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 27 August 1868 birth of son Charles Edward Scott and 28 July 1870 census date where her husband is living alone near Cuba Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 41

Cuba Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 608a, 28 July 1870, line 19, house 5, family 5

SCOTT, Joseph w m 38

[Joseph was born in Kentucky. He is a farmer. Where's the children?]

1872 Marriage of Joseph C. Scott and widow; Mrs. Nancy (KIMBERLIN) Pollard

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 214

Mr. Joseph C. Scott & Mrs. Nancy Pollard; married on 24 March 1872 by John M. Anthony, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

1873 Childbirth of daughter; Jane "Jannie" C. (SCOTT)

Jane "Jannie" C. (**SCOTT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 September 1873.

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Cora Anderson (SCOTT)

Cora Anderson (**SCOTT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on August 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 51

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 88b, 16 June 1880, line 34, house 137, family 143

SCOTT, Joseph A. head w m 52; Nancy wife w f 44; Fanny dau w f 18; Julia A. dau w f 18; Charles E. son w m 11; Jane C. dau w f 7; Cora dau w f 3

[Joseph born in Kentucky, his parents in Virginia, Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Virginia, the rest all born in Missouri their father in Kentucky their mother in Missouri. Joseph is a farmer. Should be noted unless Joseph Scott adopted the oldest three children their surnames are Pollard from Nancy's first marriage to James Pollard. Jane and Cora are Joseph and Nancy's children.]

1881 Death of father; William Childress Scott

William Childress Scott died in Walton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 22 January 1881.

1882 Childbirth of son; Ira Scott

Ira Scott was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 14 November 1882.

1882-1900 Death of spouse; Nancy (KIMBERLIN) Pollard Scott

Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) Pollard Scott died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the birth of son; Ira Scott in 14 November 1882 and before 1 June 1900, census date.

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1900 Federal Census age 71

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 180a, 1 June 1900, line 20, house 4, family 4

SCOTT, Joseph C. head w m born September 1825 age 74; Jane C. dau w f born September 1875 age 24; Ira son w m born November 1882 age 17

[Joseph born in Kentucky, his parents in Virginia, the rest born in Missouri, their father in Kentucky and their mother in Missouri. Joseph is a widower and a farmer and he rents his farm.]

1900-1910 Death of Joseph C. Scott

Joseph C. Scott died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after 1 June 1900 census date and before the 1910 census date.

Research Note

Checking the local newspapers should reveal additional information about Nancy's death date and location. When looking at the newspapers for the 1882-1900 time period go ahead and check the 1900-1910 newspapers for information about spouse; Joseph C. Scott. He also died after 1900 and before the 1910 census date. It appears no one put up a headstone for either one of them.

- 22 M viii. **Joseph Kimberlin** was born in February 1841 near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1918-1920 in Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States at age 77.

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1841 Birthblock for Joseph Kimberlin son of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

Date from 1840 census states he was born 1836-1840.

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states he was born February 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1842 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundredths of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40
Accession Number:MO0830___.442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis
Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820:
Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:15803 Legal Land Description:
Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington
the South East $\frac{1}{4}$ of the South West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in
the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This
property is located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what
is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for
five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West
quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres
more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 9

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line
31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; _Jacob w m 19;
Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1854 Family Move

From Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near
Anthonie Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1854 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 519, 6 February 1854
Firmin Desloge and wife Cynthia Ann sold to Rinard Kimberlin for Three hundred dollars,
Lot #2 in the North West quarter of Section (19) nineteen in Township Thirty-nine (39)
North of Range One (1w) contining one hundred and five acres (105). [This property is
located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1854 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", page 579, 25 February 1854
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Francis sold to James Pratt for seventy-three dollars and
eighty cents, South West corner of Lot two (2) in the North West quarter of Section (19)
Township 39, Range One West headed North with the range line at twelve chains

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corner on said line turning east at twenty three chains and fifty links intersected the branch there down the spring branch making the branch the line to the intersection of the south line of lot 2 then west seventeen chains and fifty links to beginning corner containing twenty-four acres (24) and sixty hundreds of an acre of land and being a part and parcel of the south end of lot No. 2 in the north west quarter of section (19) T39 range one west of the fifth principal meridian. [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1860 Federal Census age 19

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 29, house 888, family 878

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 55; Frances w f 56; Joseph w m 19

[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia, Joseph born in Missouri. Rinard a farmer. Living next door to sister; Reuban & Vermetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon.]

1866 Marriage of Joseph Kimberlin and Martha Jane (ROZIER-PETERS)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 92

Joseph Kimberlan & Martha Jane Peters both of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 10 December 1866 by E. R. Jones, Minister at Washington Co., Mo.

1867 Childbirth of son; Ambrose C. Kimberlin

Ambrose C. Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1867.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Nora M. (KIMBERLIN)

Nora M. (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on April 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 29

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 40, house 100, family 100

KIMBERLIN, Joseph w m 29; [page 98a] Martha J. w f 28; Ambros C. w m 3; Nora M. w f 1

[All born in Missouri. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father, Renard Kimberlin family.]

1871 Childbirth of son; George Marvin Kimberlin

George Marvin Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1871.

1873 Childbirth of son; William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin

William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1873.

1875 Childbirth of son; John Mont Kimberlin

John Mont Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 September 1875.

1877 Childbirth of son; Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin

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Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 February 1877.

1880 Federal Census age 39

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 86a, 12 June 1880, line 34, house 99, family 104

KIMBERLIN, Joseph head w m 39; Matha wife w f 38; Ambrose son w m 13; Nora dau w f 11; George son w m 9; William son w m 7; John son w m 5; Frederick son w m 2

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Joseph's and Martha's parents born in Virginia. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father; Rinard Kimberlin and family.]

1881 Childbirth of daughter; Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie (KIMBERLIN)

Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1881.

1880-1900 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1881-1900 Death of spouse; Martha Jane (ROZIER-PETERS) Kimberlin

Martha Jane (ROZIER-PETERS) Peters Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after September 1881; the birth of daughter Kittie (KIMBERLIN) and before 7 June 1900 census date.

1900 Federal Census age 59

Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 220b, 7 June 1900, line 53, house 173, family 194

KIMBERLIN, Joseph head w m born February 1841 age 59; Marvin son w m born march 1871 age 28; Jent son w m born February 1873 age 27; Mont son w m born September 1874 age 25; Fred son w m born February 1877 age 22; Kittie dau w f born September 1881 age 18

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Joseph's parents born in Virginia. Joseph is a widower. The boys work in the lead mines and they are renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 69

Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 253a, 22 April 1910, line 43, house 58, family 58

KIMBERLIN, Marvin head w m 38; Ida wife w f 29; Joseph father w m 68

[Marvin born in Missouri as was his parents, Ida born in Missouri her father born in France, her mother in Missouri, Joseph born in Missouri his parents born in Virginia. They have been married for 6 years. Joseph is a widower. They are farming and they are renting.]

1918 mentioned in son's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Mont Kimberlin and Fred Kimberlin of Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States County:St Francois State:Missouri Birth Date:3 September 1875 Race:White FHL Roll Number:1683688 Miner for Federal Lead Co. Nearest relative...Joseph Kimberlin, Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois,

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Missouri, United States Date: 12 September 1918

1918-1920 Death of Joseph Kimberlin

Joseph Kimberlin died in Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 12 September 1918 date of World War 1 draft registration cards for sons; Mont & Fred Kimberlin and the 1920 census date.

Probate Records

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Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 18 December 2011

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Date from the 1840 census states she was born

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1840 Federal Census age 1

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 20

PETERS, John 0-0-1-0-1 2-1-0-0-1

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From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to 54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States.

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William W. Rozier-Peters was born in ??? on January 1844.

1850 Federal Census age 11

54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States, page 233b, 3 September 1850, line 6, house 537, family 537

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1860 Federal Census age 21

Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States, page 26, 8 June 1860, line 37, house 201, family 193

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1866 Marriage of Joseph Kimberlin and Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 92

Joseph Kimberlan & Martha Jane Peters both of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 10 December 1866 by E. R. Jones, Minister at Washington Co., Mo.

1867 Childbirth of son; Ambrose C. Kimberlin

Ambrose C. Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1867.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Nora M. (KIMBERLIN)

Nora M. (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on April 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 31

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Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 40, house 100, family 100

KIMBERLIN, Joseph w m 29; [page 98a] Martha J. w f 28; Ambros C. w m 3; Nora M. w f 1

[All born in Missouri. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father, Renard Kimberlin family.]

1871 Childbirth of son; George Marvin Kimberlin

George Marvin Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1871.

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William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1873.

1875 Childbirth of son; John Mont Kimberlin

John Mont Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 September 1875.

1877 Childbirth of son; Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin

Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 February 1877.

1880 Federal Census age 41

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 86a, 12 June 1880, line 34, house 99, family 104

KIMBERLIN, Joseph head w m 39; Martha wife w f 38; Ambrose son w m 13; Nora dau w f 11; George son w m 9; William son w m 7; John son w m 5; Frederick son w m 2

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Joseph's and Martha's parents born in Virginia. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father; Rinard Kimberlin and family.]

1881 Childbirth of daughter; Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie (KIMBERLIN)

Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1881.

1880-1900 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1881-1900 Death of Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters Kimberlin

Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after September 1881; the birth of daughter Kittie (**KIMBERLIN**) and before 7 June 1900 census date.

Peters, Rozier, Boring, and Hulsey Connections by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

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Your first thought would be, where are the 2 daughters who should be 13, 12, 11 or 10 in the 1850 census? Good question. Your next thought would be who are these Rozier children? Good question. So, this histories mysteries begins to unfold.

After checking the 1850 census in detail, I observed the censustaker wrote the surname Rozier after each child, therefore eliminating the possibility that these young children were really Peters children but were recorded by error as Rozier children. In fact there are **no** Peters or Boring children listed. This can only lead one to conclude...that John & Mary's children did not

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survive and they have Rozier orphans in their home.

Since the 1850 census is the first to record household members, the 1840 census would not tell us who these children really belonged to and who their parents are. So...to confuse the issue further, John and Mary have now moved near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron County, Missouri by the 1860 census.

What makes this census confusing is the fact that Martha J. age 17, William W. age 14, Susan A. age 12 are now listed in the home as Peters children with the Peters surname not Rozier. This new surname indicates one of two things. First, either John and Mary adopted the Rozier children and gave them the Peters name or the Rozier children were given the Peters name as a courtesy. In any case, note the following...

[1] Martha Jane Peters married Joseph Kimberlin on 10 December 1866 using the Peters surname.

[2] Susan A. Peters married Dabner Martin on 29 April 1869 using the Peters surname.

[3] William W. Peters married Catharine Harrison on 3 July 1870 using the Peters surname.
...all in Washington County.

I can not find any record of Robert A. Rozier after the 1850 census.

Checking the death certificates turned up no leads. I feel checking the Washington County Adoption Records for 1850-1860 might yield some results, otherwise maybe the Potosi newspaper at that time might help.

Concerning the Rozier family, in 1777, Jean Ferdinand Rozier was born in France and came to Sainte Genevieve, Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri in 1810. He married Constance (**ROI**) and began having children, 10 in all. The Rozier family were Catholic and I have an extensive collection of Catholic Church baptism, birth, marriage and burial records from Kaskaskia, Ste. Genevieve, Old Mines and Richwoods Catholic Churches ranging from 1766 to 1899, but not inclusive. I could not find any of the children listed under baptism or birth records from 1829, which would have been around Robert A. Rozier's birth to 1848 which would have been Susan's birth.

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Concerning the Mary Boring who married John Peters in 1836, I started researching the Boring family to discover her parents and by accident discovered the article in Goodspeeds about her son, Robert A. Boring. Wow, this article helped to clear her ancestry.

She was born in Georgia and came to Missouri at a young age. In 1827, she married Leroy Clark Boring in Franklin County, Missouri. They had 3 children. They are in the 1830 census and Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) Boring marries John Peters in 1836. This indicated the death of her first spouse between 1830 and 1836.

Goodspeed's article was written in 1888 and she was still living and the article said she had 3 children by her second marriage. Either, they were adopted or they were actually John and her children. In any case, the three Rozier children will be listed in my tree with two sets of parents until this can be solved.

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Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) Boring Peters is the daughter of Major Elijah "Eli" & Sarah Naomi (**CHOATE**) Hulsey. Eli was born 1783 in South Carolina and Sarah was born 1788 in Georgia. Mary had a brother; William Henry Hulsey Sr. who married Elizabeth "Betsy" (**HORINE**). Someone had done a great deal of research and found he was born in Milledgeville, Baldwin, Georgia, United States. Since he was born in 1811 and Mary was born in 1812 then that is probably her birth location. See...nothing to it!!! Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 29 September 2009

7. Thompson Harvey Peters (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born 31 March 1805 in Giles County, Virginia, United States, died 29 August 1884 in Mercer, West Virginia at age 79, and was buried in Brammer Cemetery, Odd, Raleigh, WV.

Thompson married **Nancy Landon (BOLTON)** 18 March 1830 in Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia. Nancy was born 30 October 1811 in Botetourt County, Virginia, United States, died 9 March 1855 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 43, and was buried in Virginia, United States.

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9. Oliver Clay Peters (*John Jacob II or Jr.*¹) was born 29 December 1807 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died 8 April 1889 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 81.

Virginia, Marriages, 1740-1850

Does the Oliver Peters in this record match the person in your tree?

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Name: Oliver Peters

Gender: Male

Spouse Name: Christena Bolton

Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 24 Jul 1833

County: Giles

State: Virginia

1850 United States Federal Census

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Yes No Maybe

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Name: Olive C Peters
Age: 43
Birth Year: abt 1807
Home in 1850: District 20, Giles, Virginia, USA
Family Number: 853
Household Members:
Name Age
Olive C Peters 43
Christina Peters 38
John Byles 14
Olive Johnston 13
Lewis Johnston 23
Jas Doss 18

1860 United States Federal Census

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Yes No Maybe

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Name: Olive C Peters
Age: 52
Birth Year: abt 1808
Birth Place: Virginia
Home in 1860: Giles, Virginia
Post Office: Staffordsville
Family Number: 88
Value of Real Estate: [View image](#)
Household Members:
Name Age
Olive C Peters 52
Christiana Peters 47
Olive Johnston 23
Araminta Johnston 14

1880 United States Federal Census

Does the O. C. Peters in this record match the person in your tree?

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Name: O. C. Peters
Age: 72

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Birth Year: abt 1808
Birthplace: Virginia
Home in 1880: Walkers Creek, Giles, Virginia
Race: White
Gender: Male
Relation to Head of House: Self (Head)
Marital Status: Married
Spouse's Name: Pristina Peters
Father's Birthplace: Virginia
Mother's Birthplace: Virginia
Neighbors: View others on page
Occupation: Farmer
Cannot read/write:

Blind:

Deaf and Dumb:

Otherwise disabled:

Idiotic or insane:

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Household Members:

Name	Age
O. C. Peters	72
Pristina Peters	67

Oliver C. Peters

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Birth: Dec. 29, 1807
Death: Apr. 8, 1889

Burial:
Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church Cemetery
Bane
Giles County
Virginia, USA

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Augustus married **Catharine S. (CARPER)** 8 February 1855 in Giles County, Virginia, United States. Catharine was born in 1828 in Montgomery County, Virginia, United States and died 5 February 1892 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 64.

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1811 Birthblock for John Jacob Peters III son of John Jacob II & Sally (CLAY) Peters

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Date from the 1810 census states he was born

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Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1801 in Virginia.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1813 in Virginia.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born 15 March 1811.

Date from the obituary states he was born

1810-1820 Death of Mother: Sally (CLAY) Peters

Sally (CLAY) Peters died in Giles, Virginia, United States between 1810 census and the 1820 census.

1820 Federal Census age 9

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Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States, page 120 or 33

PETERS, John Jun. 2-3-0-0-1 2-1-2

free white males 9 & under [Charles Mountford age 1]; 9 & under [John III age 9]; 10-16 [??]; 10-16 [??]; 10-16 [??]; 26-45 [??]; over-45 [John II or Jr. age 44]

free white females 9 & under [??]; 9 & under [??]; 10-16 [Frances Jane age 16]; 16-26 [??]; 16-26 [??]

[On the previous page is John Peters Sr. family.]

1830 Federal Census age 19

Giles, Virginia, United States, page 231

PETERS, John Jun. 0-1-0-2-2-0-0-1 2-0-1-1-0-1

free white males 5-9 [Charles Mountford age 11]; 15-19 [??]; 15-19 [John III age 19]; 20-29 [??]; 20-29 [??]; 50-59 [John II or Jr. age 54]

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From Giles, Virginia, United States to Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. It appears that after the death of his 1st wife John Jun. and son John III moved to Missouri.

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John II appears both in the Giles County, Virginia census and the Washington County, Missouri census. It also looks like a majority of his children stayed in Giles County because only John III shows up in the 1830 Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States census with his father.

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Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 72, 1 June 1830, line

PETER, John 0-0-0-1-0-0-0-1 [no females]

free white males 15-19 [John III age 19]; 50-59 [John II age 64]

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1836 Marriage of John Peters & Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY) Boring

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "A" 1825-1844 page 142

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1870 Federal Census age 59

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September 1876.

[1] Date from headstone states he died 26 September 1876.

1876 Burial of John Jacob Peters III

Anthones Mill Cemetery, Anthones Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
Peters, John March 15, 1811 -- September 26, 1876

FAG# 5260868 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

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Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY)...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 17 December 2011

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

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Date from the 1850 census states she was born 1812 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1870 census states she was born

Date from the 1880 census states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born 10 May 1812.

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1812 Father's Military participation

[1] War of 1812 Service Records

Name:Elijah Hulsey Company:4 REG'T (BOOTH'S), GEORGIA MILITIA. Rank -

Induction:PRIVATE Rank - Discharge:PRIVATE Roll Box:106 Roll Exct:602

1815 Childbirth of brother; Charles Leroy Husley

Charles Leroy Husley was born in Milledgeville, Baldwin, Georgia, United States on 1815.

1817 Childbirth of sister; Susan (HULSEY)

Susan (HULSEY) was born in Milledgeville, Baldwin, Georgia, United States on 10 August 1817.

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1820 Federal Census age 8

1821-1825 Childbirth of brother Hulsey

1824 Childbirth of brother; John Hulsey

John Hulsey was born in Kentucky, United States in 1824.

1824 Family Move

From Kentucky, United States to west of Luebbering in Prairie Twp, Franklin County, Missouri

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1824 Father's U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Eli Hulsey Issue Date:10 May 1824 State of Record:Missouri Acres:48.51 Accession Number:MO0010___.396 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:400 Legal Land Description: Section 19; Twp 41-N; Range 1-E; Meridian 5th PM; Counties Franklin

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Francis W. Hulsey was born west of Luebbering in Prairie Twp, Franklin County, Missouri, United States on 1825.

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1827 Marriage of Leroy Clark Boring and Miss Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book "A" 1819-1844, page 25

Leroy Clark Boring and Miss Polly Hulsy both of Franklin Co., Mo.; married on 4 September (1827) by Jeremiah Hamelton, PG at Franklin Co., Mo.; filed 15 September 1827; the hand written index and the consolidate hand written index have Polley Hulsey

1830 Childbirth of son; Robert A. Boring

Robert A. Boring was born in Merrimac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1829-1830.

1830 Federal Census age 18

Merrimac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page , 1 June 1830, line

BORING, Leroy C. 1-0-1-0-0-1 0-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Robert A. age 1]; 10-14 [?]; 30-39 [Leroy age 30-39]

free white females 15-19 [Mary E. age 18]

Research Note

Since Leroy and Mary were married in 1827 then the 10-14 year old boy in the 1830 census either had to be a hired hand, a neighbor's boy, or a son from a previous marriage of Leroy Clark Boring.

1832 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah A. (BORING)

Sarah A. (**BORING**) was born in Merrimac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 March 1832.

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1832-1836 Death of spouse; Leroy Clark Boring

Leroy Clark Boring died in Merrimac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States after 1 June 1830 census date and before 1 September 1836 his widow's second marriage date.

1836 Marriage of John Jacob Peters III & widow; Mrs. Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY) Boring

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "A" 1825-1844 page 142
John Peter & Mary Boring both of lawful age and of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 1 September 1836 by Jacob Clark, Preacher of the Gospel at Washington Co., Mo.

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Saint Louis (city), Recorder of St. Louis in said office date 14 December 1837
John Peters bought the south East quarter of SW quarter of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No.1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered.

1840 Federal Census age 28

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 20

PETERS, John 0-0-1-0-1 2-1-0-0-1

free white males 10-14 [Robert A. Boring age 10]; 20-29 [John Peters III age 29]

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From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to 54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States.

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Montgomery Patton and Sarah a. (**BORING**) were married in Saint Francois County, Missouri on 3 March 1850. By August they had moved to Madison County, Missouri to be near family.

1850 Federal Census age 38

54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States, page 233b, 3 September 1850, line 6, house 537, family 537

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Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States, page 26, 8 June 1860, line 37, house 201, family 193

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1870 Federal Census age 58

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[1] Date from headstone states he died 26 September 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 68

1888 Source Reference

"Goodspeed's History of Franklin, Jefferson, Washington, Crawford & Gasconade Counties, Missouri" © 2001 Reprint by Southern Historical Press, Inc., Greenville, South Carolina, page 972

Robert A. Boring, farmer, is the son of Leroy C. and Mary (Hulsey) Boring, natives of Tennessee and Georgia, respectively. When young they came to Missouri, were married in Franklin County, and here the father followed agricultural pursuits for some time. He held the position of justice of the peace, and died in the full strength of manhood. The mother afterward married John Peters. She still lives and is seventy-eight years of age. Three children were born to her first marriage, and three to her second. Robert A. was the eldest of the children born to the first marriage, his birth occurring in 1830. His early education was wholly neglected, but upon reaching manhood he acquired a practical education by his own efforts. His early life was one of hardship, and when fifteen years old he began working for himself at 25 cents a day. Until 1853 he worked at whatever he could get to do, and in that year married Miss Martha J. Callaway, a native of Virginia, who bore him six children, three now living: Henry C., John T., and William A. Both Mr. Boring and wife are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. In 1864 Mr. Boring enlisted in Company H of the Fortieth Missouri Infantry, United States army, and served until August of the following year. He was in the battles of Nashville and Spanish Fort. While marching through Nashville he fell headlong into a pit and injured himself for life. He was discharged at St. Louis and is now

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1890 Death of Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY) Boring Peters

Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY) Boring Peters died most likely in Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 30 August 1890.

[1] Date of 30 August 1890 from headstone.

[I figure she died in Crawford County otherwise she would have been buried next to her husband at Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

1890 Burial of Mary "Polly" E. (HULSEY) Boring Peters

Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
Peters, Mary E. 10 May 1812--30 August 1890 wife of John

Peters, Rozier, Boring, and Hulsey Connections

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

When one tries to locate the parents of a child, they begin by trying to get a birth certificate or death certificate or follow the census information backwards from the child's marriage date. This is the case with Martha Jane Peters who married Joseph Kimberlin on 10 December 1866 in Washington County, Missouri.

By finding the 1860 census which was 6 years earlier than the marriage date, one would feel they have a clear cut case for revealed parentage. Not necessarily so...as you will see.

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However, upon further investigation into the John & Mary (HULSEY) Peters family we begin to find disturbing peculiarities. First, let's take a look at John & Mary (HULSEY) Peters.

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Children from this marriage were:

- 23 F i. **Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters** was born in 1839 in Missouri, United States and died in 1881-1900 in Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 42.

Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 18 December 2011

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1839 Birthblock for Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters) daughter of (to be determined)

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Date from the 1840 census states she was born

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1844 Childbirth of brother; William W. Rozier-Perters

William W. Rozier-Perters was born in ??? on January 1844.

1850 Federal Census age 11

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1866 Marriage of Joseph Kimberlin and Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 92

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1867 Childbirth of son; Ambrose C. Kimberlin

Ambrose C. Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1867.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Nora M. (KIMBERLIN)

Nora M. (**KIMBERLIN**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on April 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 31

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 40, house 100, family 100

KIMBERLIN, Joseph w m 29; [page 98a] Martha J. w f 28; Ambros C. w m 3; Nora M. w f 1

[All born in Missouri. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father, Renard Kimberlin family.]

1871 Childbirth of son; George Marvin Kimberlin

George Marvin Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1871.

1873 Childbirth of son; William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin

William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1873.

1875 Childbirth of son; John Mont Kimberlin

John Mont Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 September 1875.

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1880 Federal Census age 41

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 86a, 12 June 1880, line 34, house 99, family 104

KIMBERLIN, Joseph head w m 39; Martha wife w f 38; Ambrose son w m 13; Nora dau w f 11; George son w m 9; William son w m 7; John son w m 5; Frederick son w m 2

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Joseph's and Martha's parents born in Virginia. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father; Rinard Kimberlin and family.]

1881 Childbirth of daughter; Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie (KIMBERLIN)

Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1881.

1880-1900 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1881-1900 Death of Martha Jane (ROZIER)-Peters Kimberlin

Martha Jane (**ROZIER**)-Peters Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after September 1881; the birth of daughter Kittie (**KIMBERLIN**) and before 7 June 1900 census date.

Peters, Rozier, Boring, and Hulsey Connections by Floyd Thomas Pratt

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When one tries to locate the parents of a child, they begin by trying to get a birth certificate or death certificate or follow the census information backwards from the child's marriage date. This is the case with Martha Jane Peters who married Joseph Kimberlin on 10 December 1866 in Washington County, Missouri.

By finding the 1860 census which was 6 years earlier than the marriage date, one would feel they have a clear cut case for revealed parentage. Not necessarily so...as you will see.

In the 1870 and 1880 census records Martha is consistent with an 1842 birthyear in Missouri.

In the 1860 census she is living with John & Mary (**HULSEY**) Peter near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States. She has siblings; William W. Peter age 14, Susan A. Peter age 12.

However, upon further investigation into the John & Mary (**HULSEY**) Peters family we begin to find disturbing peculiarities. First, let's take a look at John & Mary (**HULSEY**) Peters.

John or known as John Jacob Peters III was born in Giles County, Virginia around

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1811 to John Jacob Peters II or Jr. and Sally (**CLAY**) who were married in 1801. These are also the parents of my 3rd Great grandmother; Frances Jane (**PETERS**) who married Rinard Kimberlin between 1825-1827 in Virginia.

I have found the Kimberlin(g) families, several of them moved from Virginia to Franklin, Washington, Stone and Greene counties of Missouri. They have extensive land records in each of those counties. John II or Jr. Peters moved after the death of his wife, with his son John III from Giles County, Virginia to Meramec Twp, Washington County, Missouri in 1830. This is documented because John II is listed in both censuses.

John Peters III was single and living with his father when on 1 September 1836 he married Mary E. Boring in Washington County. In 1837, John III went to the land office in St. Louis and bought 40 acres in Richwoods Township, Washington County, Missouri. There we find him in the 1840 census where you would expect some children and here are the following;

1. A son 10-14 years of age fits the age of Robert A. Boring, son of Mary from her previous marriage.
2. Besides his wife Mary, there is a daughter 5 to 9 years old. This girl is Sarah A. (BORING) sister to Robert. Therefore, it appears this is not his daughter.
3. There are also listed two daughters age 4 and under. If they had a daughter in 1837 and in 1838 or in 1839 then this could possibly be their children. Answers as to their identity should be in the 1850 census. This is where the peculiarities begin.

In the 1850 census we find that John III and Mary (**HULSEY**) Peters family has moved after they sold their land on 21 September 1840 to Rinard Kimberlin. They show up at the 54th District, Madison County, Missouri with the following occupants: John Peters age 49; Mary Peters age 38, Robert A. Rozier age 21, Martha J. Rozier age 11, William W. Rozier age 5, Susan A. Rozier age 3.

Your first thought would be, where are the 2 daughters who should be 13, 12, 11 or 10 in the 1850 census? Good question. Your next thought would be who are these Rozier children? Good question. So, this histories mysteries begins to unfold.

After checking the 1850 census in detail, I observed the censustaker wrote the surname Rozier after each child, therefore eliminating the possibility that these young children were really Peters children but were recorded by error as Rozier children. In fact there are **no** Peters or Boring children listed. This can only lead one to conclude...that John & Mary's children did not survive and they have Rozier orphans in their home.

Since the 1850 census is the first to record household members, the 1840 census would not tell us who these children really belonged to and who their parents are. So...to confuse the issue further, John and Mary have now moved near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron County, Missouri by the 1860 census.

What makes this census confusing is the fact that Martha J. age 17, William W. age 14, Susan A. age 12 are now listed in the home as Peters children with the Peters surname not Rozier. This new surname indicates one of two things. First, either John

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and Mary adopted the Rozier children and gave them the Peters name or the Rozier children were given the Peters name as a courtesy. In any case, note the following...

[1] Martha Jane Peters married Joseph Kimberlin on 10 December 1866 using the Peters surname.

[2] Susan A. Peters married Dabner Martin on 29 April 1869 using the Peters surname.

[3] William W. Peters married Catharine Harrison on 3 July 1870 using the Peters surname.

...all in Washington County.

I can not find any record of Robert A. Rozier after the 1850 census.

Checking the death certificates turned up no leads. I feel checking the Washington County Adoption Records for 1850-1860 might yield some results, otherwise maybe the Potosi newspaper at that time might help.

Concerning the Rozier family, in 1777, Jean Ferdinand Rozier was born in France and came to Sainte Genevieve, Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri in 1810. He married Constance (**ROI**) and began having children, 10 in all. The Rozier family were Catholic and I have an extensive collection of Catholic Church baptism, birth, marriage and burial records from Kaskaskia, Ste. Genevieve, Old Mines and Richwoods Catholic Churches ranging from 1766 to 1899, but not inclusive. I could not find any of the children listed under baptism or birth records from 1829, which would have been around Robert A. Rozier's birth to 1848 which would have been Susan's birth.

This means that they were not christened in those churches. I think a clue would be down in the Catholic Churches in Jefferson or Madison County, Missouri since that is where John and Mary (**HULSEY**) Peters shows up with them in the 1850 census.

Concerning the Mary Boring who married John Peters in 1836, I started researching the Boring family to discover her parents and by accident discovered the article in Goodspeeds about her son, Robert A. Boring. Wow, this article helped to clear her ancestry.

She was born in Georgia and came to Missouri at a young age. In 1827, she married Leroy Clark Boring in Franklin County, Missouri. They had 3 children. They are in the 1830 census and Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) Boring marries John Peters in 1836. This indicated the death of her first spouse between 1830 and 1836.

Goodspeed's article was written in 1888 and she was still living and the article said she had 3 children by her second marriage. Either, they were adopted or they were actually John and her children. In any case, the three Rozier children will be listed in my tree with two sets of parents until this can be solved.

Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) Boring Peters is the daughter of Major Elijah "Eli" & Sarah Naomi (**CHOATE**) Hulsey. Eli was born 1783 in South Carolina and Sarah was born 1788 in Georgia. Mary had a brother; William Henry Hulsey Sr. who married Elizabeth "Betsy" (**HORINE**). Someone had done a great deal of research and found he was born in Milledgeville, Baldwin, Georgia, United States. Since he was born in 1811 and Mary was born in 1812 then that is probably her birth location.

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See...nothing to it!!! Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 29 September 2009

Martha married **Joseph Kimberlin**, son of **Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin** and **Frances Jane (PETERS)**, 10 December 1866 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Joseph was born in February 1841 near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1918-1920 in Flat River, Saint Francois Township, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States at age 77.

Joseph Kimberlin...Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1841 Birthblock for Joseph Kimberlin son of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

Date from 1840 census states he was born 1836-1840.

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states he was born February 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1842 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two

west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundreds of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulsey in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40

Accession Number:MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US

Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566)

Document Number:15803 Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian

5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington

the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the

district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located

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on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1850 Federal Census age 9

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31, house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Francis w f 45; Catherine w f 22; _Jacob w m 19; Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

1854 Family Move

From Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Anthonie Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1854 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 519, 6 February 1854
Firmin Desloge and wife Cynthia Ann sold to Rinard Kimberlin for Three hundred dollars, Lot #2 in the North West quarter of Section (19) nineteen in Township Thirty-nine (39) North of Range One (1w) contining one hundred and five acres (105). [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1854 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "I", page 579, 25 February 1854
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Francis sold to James Pratt for seventy-three dollars and eighty cents, South West corner of Lot two (2) in the North West quarter of Section (19) Township 39, Range One West headed North with the range line at twelve chains corner on said line turning east at twenty three chains and fifty links intersected the branch there down the spring branch making the branch the line to the intersection of the south line of lot 2 then west seventeen chains and fifty links to beginning corner containing twenty-four acres (24) and sisty hundreds of an acre of land and being a part and parcel of the south end of lot No. 2 in the north west quarter of section (19) T39 range one west of the fifth principal meridian. [This property is located off of White creek near Athonies Mill.]

1860 Federal Census age 19

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 131, 26 July 1860, line 29, house 888, family 878

KIMBERLIN, Rinard w m 55; Frances w f 56; Joseph w m 19
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia, Joseph born in Missouri. Rinard a farmer. Living next door to sister; Reuban & Vermetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon.]

1866 Marriage of Joseph Kimberlin and Martha Jane (ROZIER-PETERS)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 92

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Joseph Kimberlan & Martha Jane Peters both of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 10 December 1866 by E. R. Jones, Minister at Washington Co., Mo.

1867 Childbirth of son; Ambrose C. Kimberlin

Ambrose C. Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1867.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Nora M. (KIMBERLIN)

Nora M. (KIMBERLIN) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on April 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 29

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 40, house 100, family 100

KIMBERLIN, Joseph w m 29; [page 98a] Martha J. w f 28; Ambros C. w m 3; Nora M. w f 1
[All born in Missouri. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father, Renard Kimberlin family.]

1871 Childbirth of son; George Marvin Kimberlin

George Marvin Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1871.

1873 Childbirth of son; William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin

William Gentry "Jent" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1873.

1875 Childbirth of son; John Mont Kimberlin

John Mont Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 September 1875.

1877 Childbirth of son; Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin

Reuben Frederick "Fred" Kimberlin was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 February 1877.

1880 Federal Census age 39

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 86a, 12 June 1880, line 34, house 99, family 104

KIMBERLIN, Joseph head w m 39; Matha wife w f 38; Ambrose son w m 13; Nora dau w f 11; George son w m 9; William son w m 7; John son w m 5; Frederick son w m 2
[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Joseph's and Martha's parents born in Virginia. Joseph is a farmer. Living next door to father; Rinard Kimberlin and family.]

1881 Childbirth of daughter; Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie (KIMBERLIN)

Katherine "Kittie" Vernellie was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1881.

1880-1900 Family Move

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1881-1900 Death of spouse; Martha Jane (ROZIER-PETERS) Kimberlin

Martha Jane (ROZIER-PETERS) Peters Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after September 1881; the birth of daughter Kittie (KIMBERLIN) and before 7 June 1900 census date.

1900 Federal Census age 59

Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 220b, 7 June 1900, line 53, house 173, family 194

KIMBERLIN, Joseph head w m born February 1841 age 59; Marvin son w m born march 1871 age 28; Jent son w m born February 1873 age 27; Mont son w m born September 1874 age 25; Fred son w m born February 1877 age 22; Kittie dau w f born September 1881 age 18 [All born in Missouri as was their parents except Joseph's parents born in Virginia. Joseph is a widower. The boys work in the lead mines and they are renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 69

Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 253a, 22 April 1910, line 43, house 58, family 58

KIMBERLIN, Marvin head w m 38; Ida wife w f 29; Joseph father w m 68

[Marvin born in Missouri as was his parents, Ida born in Missouri her father born in France, her mother in Missouri, Joseph born in Missouri his parents born in Virginia. They have been married for 6 years. Joseph is a widower. They are farming and they are renting.]

1918 mentioned in son's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Mont Kimberlin and Fred Kimberlin of Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States County:St Francois State:Missouri Birth Date:3 September 1875 Race:White FHL Roll Number:1683688 Miner for Federal Lead Co. Nearest relative...Joseph Kimberlin, Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Date: 12 September 1918

1918-1920 Death of Joseph Kimberlin

Joseph Kimberlin died in Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 12 September 1918 date of World War 1 draft registration cards for sons; Mont & Fred Kimberlin and the 1920 census date.

Probate Records

Probate Records Index, St. Francois County, Missouri, 1822- 1955

Kimberlain, Jos. Mervin Kimberlain page 92

Kimberlin, John Mont NCM page 179

Kimberlin, Reuben F. Marvin Kimberlin page 155

- 24 M ii. **William W. Rozier-Peters** was born in January 1844 in Missouri, United States and died in May 1906 in Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States at age 62.

1845 Birthblock for William W. Rozier-Peters son of (to be determined)

William W. Rozier-Peters was born in

Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1845 in Missouri.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1846 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1845 in Missouri.

Date from the 1890 Veteran's census states he was born

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Date from the 1900 census states he was born January 1844 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1840-1850 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to 54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States.

1850 Federal Census age 5

54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States, page 233b, 3 September 1850, line 6, house 537, family 537

PETERS, John w m 49; Mary w f 38; **ROZIER**, Robert A. w m 21; Martha J. w f 11; William W. w m 5; Susan A. w f 3

[John was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri. John is a laborer. This census is very disturbing. Who are these Rozier children? The boy, Robert is the right age for Robert A. Boring, Mary's son from her previous marriage.]

Research Note

According to the 1850 census it appears that Robert A. was actually a Boring from his mother Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) Boring Peter's first marriage. The rest of the children are Rozier and it looks like they were orphans. It was customary for subsequent spouses to "adopt" children from the spouses previous marriage and give them their surname, in this case the Peters surname as evident in the 1860 census. This courtesy was given to these children without a formal and legal adoption. Therefore, in actuality, Martha Jane, William and Susan were really Rozier children...parentage unknown but used the Peters surname when they married. I would look to the Madison County, Missouri Rozier families for the origins of these children. FTP

1850-1860 Family Move

From 54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States to near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States

1860 Federal Census age 15

Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States, page 26, 8 June 1860, line 37, house 201, family 193

PETER, John w m 47; Mary w f 45; Martha J. w f 17; William W. w m 14; [page 27] Susan w f 12

[John was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri. John is a teamster.]

1860-1866 Family Move

From near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States to

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Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. This is evident since Martha Jane (**ROZIER**)-Peters is getting married in Washington County to Joseph Kimberlin on 10 December 1866.

1870 Marriage of William W. Rozier-Peters and Katherine "Kate" (HARRISON) daughter of Aristides and Catherine (LITTON) Harrison

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 181

Mr. William Peters & Miss Catharine Harrison both of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 3 July 1870 by Ezekial Jinkerson, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

1870 Federal Census age 25

1872 Childbirth of son; Eugene J. Peters

Eugene J. Peters was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 March 1872.

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Grace (PETERS)

Grace (**PETERS**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1876.

1876 Death of father; John Jacob Peters III

John Jacob Peters III died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 September 1876.

Date from headstone states he died 26 September 1876.

1878 Childbirth of daughter; Mabel (PETERS)

Mabel (**PETERS**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on October 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 35

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 406a, 12 June 1880, line 33, house 190, family 194

PETERS, William head w m 35; Kate wife w f 28; Eugene son w m 8; Grace dau w f 4; Mabel dau w f 3

[All born in Missouri as was the children's parents except William's father was born in Virginia and his mother in Missouri, Kate's father was born in Kentucky and her mother born in Virginia. William is a laborer.]

1900 Federal Census age 55

4359 Norfolk Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 44b, 12 June 1900, line 52, house 5359, dwelling 205, family 272

PETERS, William head w m born January 1844 age 56; Catherine wife w f born March 1853 age 47; Mable dau w f born October 1878 age 21; Robert G. son w m born December 1880 age 19; Perl dau w f born August 1883 age 16; Harrison son w m born July 1888 age 11; Ralph son w m born July 1891 age 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Catherine's father born in Kentucky and her mother in Tennessee. They have been married for 30 years and Catherine says she has had 11 children born and 8 are living. William is a day laborer and they are renting.]

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Internet date of 1906 for a death date of William Peters...needs verification.

Email to Joel Peters 17-December-2011

Joel, I have done extensive research on the Peters-Boring-Rozier-Hulsey families and after receiving your inquiries loaded on my tree their Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profiles for your perusal.

You can begin with : <http://trees.ancestry.com/tree/5773168/person/-1397615353>

Then check out her 1st husband Leroy Clark Boring and then her second husband John Jacob Peters III.

<http://trees.ancestry.com/tree/5773168/person/-143317830?msg=nsu>

Up until 2009 no one knew who John Jacob's wife was until I tackled the problem. I hope this answers your questions. Attached is a pedigree chart showing your Peters and related lines.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 17 December 2011

Email from Joel Peters peters.joel@gmail.com

To: FloydPratt59 floydpratt59@tampabay.rr.com

Sent: Saturday, December 17, 2011 8:34 AM

Subject: Re: Rozier-Peters orphans

Hello Floyd, Thanks so much for getting back to me. I did spend a fair amount of time last night studying what you have done. It is quite impressive. I still have a few questions, though: Where does the "Rozier" come from in William Peters' surname? How did you make the link from John Jacob Peters Sr. to Jacob Peters?

Are there living descendants from these lines, who would be my cousins? For instance the Eugene Peters/Frasier union? Did Reppel or Olive have children? I have discovered little of Benjamin Harrison Peters' siblings, except for one, Grace Jennie Peters, who married Elisha Martin, and who have many descendants in or near Missoula, MT, none of whom I know. I asked my father once about his uncle Ralph, and he said he thought he was a horse-thief, or something like that. I only vaguely remember Benjamin, who was an Army recruiting sergeant, and kind of big and scary, at least for me.

You have two Graces and two Mabels in the tree. I think Perl died as a young child, probably in Sligo. I believe there is a graveyard there with some Peters headstones, though I have never been there. Sligo really hardly still exists, except as a place on the map. My father told me it was wiped out by a river flooding years ago, and from what I have learned, it really only existed to start with because of a steel mill there, so it is highly likely that the Peters worked there.

Do you want me to send you a FTM or GEDCOM file of the info you don't have on the Peters descendants and connections? Or a chart of some sort?

Besides my Father, Benjamin and Ruth Colombia had a child, Lois Mae. It took me years to track down her family. She married a man named Melvin Harshbarger, and I now have the whole family in my tree. The only thing my father ever told me was "married a Harshbarger".

Your link to the Peters appears to me through Mary Kimberlin, is that correct? I am unfamiliar with the titles F.H.C., M.A.G.I. What do they mean? Anyway, great work! Thanks! Joel Santiago, Chile

Email sent to Joel Peters 18 December 2011 peters.joel@gmail.com

Joel, concerning the Rozier in William and his siblings name, see the family group sheet on John Jacob Peters III which covers all the proposed "adopted" children.

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Since we know that William and sisters Martha and Susan were originally Rozier children, per the 1850 census records, then without adoption proof that John Jacob Peters III and Mary "Polly" E. (**HULSEY**) had adopted them, then it appears they just assume the Peters name, for expediency sake.

Hence, I place Rozier-Peters to alert the researcher that there is an identity problem with this individual.

Now, since the oldest of these children was Martha Jane (**ROZIER**) Peters born 1836, it is possible that these children may actually be John Peters' children, since John and Mary married in 1836...but how do you explain the 1850 census, which states they are Rozier children?

Since the census taker asked John and/or Mary the names of their children...why did they tell him that they were Rozier children???? Why did they even mention the name Rozier???

The census taker figured that all of the children were Rozier and listed them in the census that way, but we know that Robert was Mary's son from her marriage to Leroy Clark Boring and Robert was a Boring son not a Peters son.

If William, Martha and Susan were Peters children and belonged to John and Mary, then why weren't all those children listed in the 1850 census as Peters children and not Rozier???

Therefore, because there is a problem with Martha, William and Susan's parental identification, then I have listed them as Rozier-Peters until we can find definitive proof in the court records of an adoption or other information.

Attached is the story about my F.H.C., M.A.G.I. acronyms.

Concerning the link from John Peters Jr. to John Peters III review the census data that Jr. came to Missouri and John III is listed in the 1830 twice & 1840 census.

Yes, Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) is my 2nd Great Grandmother. See her page in my tree for her details.

<http://trees.ancestry.com/tree/5773168/person/-1397624985?pg=32810>

Thanks, Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 18 December 2011

William married **Katherine "Kate" (HARRISON)**, daughter of **Aristedes Harrison** and **Catherine (LITTON)**, 3 July 1870 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Katherine was born in March 1853 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States and died after 1900.

1853 Birthblock for Katherine "Kate" (HARRISON) daughter of Aristides and Catherine (LITTON) Harrison

Katherine "Kate" (**HARRISON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States circa March 1853.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1850 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1853 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1852 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born March 1853 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1860 Federal Census age 7

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 4, 6 August 1860, line 36, house 670, family 664

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HARRISON, A. w m 54; Catharine w f 52; Jane w f 26; **RICHARDS**, Susan w f 24;
HARRISON, Robt w m 23; [page 5] Julius w m 21; Ann w f 19; Wm w m 14; Lawrence w m 12;
Lucinda w f 13; Catharine w f 10; Aristides w m 3
[A born in Kentucky, Catherine born in Virginia, all the rest born in Missouri. A. is a farmer.]

1870 Federal Census age 17

Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 32, 1 June 1870, line 3, house 206, family 316 [Boarding house]

HARRISON, Robt w m 30; Anna A. w f 35; **BRAKEFIELD**, Jacob w m 19; Wm w m 18;
MALLOW, Joseph w m 24; **YANKEE**, Joseph w m 24; **HYER**, Charles w m 19;
HARRISON, Catharine w f 17, Aristides w m 13

[Robert born in Missouri, Anna, Jacob, William, Joseph born in Tennessee, Mr. Yankee born in Virginia, Charles born in New York, Catherine and Aristides born in Missouri. Robert runs a boarding house, Brakfields, Mallow, Yankee, Hyer work in a saw mill.]

1870 Marriage of William W. Rozier-Peters and Catherine "Kate" (HARRISON)

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 181

Mr. William Peters & Miss Catharine Harrison both of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 3 July 1870 by Ezekial Jinkerson, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

1880 Federal Census age 27

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 406a, 12 June 1880, line 33, house 190, family 194

PETERS, William head w m 35; Kate wife w f 28; Eugene son w m 8; Grace dau w f 4; Mabel dau w f 3

[All born in Missouri as was the children's parents except William's father was born in Virginia and his mother in Missouri, Kate's father was born in Kentucky and her mother born in Virginia. William is a laborer.]

1900 Federal Census age 47

4359 Norfolk Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 44b, 12 June 1900, line 52, house 5359, dwelling 205, family 272

PETERS, William head w m born January 1844 age 56; Catherine wife w f born March 1853 age 47; Mable dau w f born October 1878 age 21; Robert G. son w m born December 1880 age 19; Perl dau w f born August 1883 age 16; Harrison son w m born July 1888 age 11; Ralph son w m born July 1891 age 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Catherine's father born in Kentucky and her mother in Tennessee. They have been married for 30 years and Catherine says she has had 11 children born and 8 are living. William is a day laborer and they are renting.]

- 25 F iii. **Susan A. (ROZIER)-Peters** was born in 1847 in Missouri, United States and died after 1890.

1847 Birthblock of Susan A. (ROZIER)-Peters

Date from the 1850 census states she was born 1847 in Missouri.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1848 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1848 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born

Date from the 1890 Veterans Schedule states she was a widow.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

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Date from the 1910 census states she was born
Date from the 1920 census states she was born
Date from the 1930 census states she was born
Date from the death certificate states she was born
Date from the headstone states she was born
Date from the SSDI states she was born
Date from the obituary states she was born

1850 Federal Census age 3

54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States, page 233b, 3 September 1850, line 6, house 537, family 537

PETERS, John w m 49; Mary w f 38; **ROZIER**, Robert A. w m 21; Martha J. w f 11; William W. w m 5; Susan A. w f 3

[John was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri. John is a laborer. This census is very disturbing. Who are these Rozier children? The boy, Robert is the right age for Robert A. Boring, Mary's son from her previous marriage.]

1850-1860 Family Move

From 54 District, Madison, Missouri, United States to near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States

1860 Federal Census age 13

Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States, page 26, 8 June 1860, line 37, house 201, family 193

PETER, John w m 47; Mary w f 45; Martha J. w f 17; William W. w m 14; [page 27] Susan w f 12

[John was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri. John is a teamster.]

1860-1866 Family Move

From near Ironton City Post Office, Arcadia Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. This is evident since sister Martha Jane (**ROZIER**)-Peters is getting married in Washington County to Joseph Kimberlin on 10 December 1866.

1869 Marriage of Dabner Martin and Susan A. (ROZIER)-Peters

Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book Volume "C" 1862-1881, page 151 Dabner Martin & Miss Susan Peters; married on 29 April 1869 by Ezekiel Jinkerson, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

1870 Federal Census

Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

MARTIN, Dabney w m 26; Susan w f 22; Owen w m 10mos

1880 Federal Census

1890 Husband's Veterans Schedules

Veteran's Name:Dabney Martin Relative's Name:Susan M Martin Relationship to veteran:Widow Home in 1890 (Township, County, State):Meramec, Crawford, Missouri Year enlisted:1861 Year discharged:1865 Rank:Private

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Susan married **Dabney Martin**, son of **Simeon Jordan Martin** and **Sarah J. (BARBERY) Barber**, 29 April 1869 in Washington County, Missouri, United States. Dabney was born in 1844 in District 24, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died in 1870-1890 in Harmony Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States at age 26, and was buried in 1870-1890 in Palmer Cemetery, Palmer, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1844 Birthblock for Dabney Martin son of Simeon Jordan & Sarah J. (BARBERY or BARBER) Martin

Dabney Martin

1850 Federal Census

District 24, Crawford, Missouri

MARTEN, S. J. w m 40; Sarah w f 38; J. 15; George w m 13; M. J. 11; M. A. 9; E. 7; D. [Dabney] w m 5; R.[Robert] w m 3; N.[Nancy] w f 3; Polley w f 0

1860 Federal Census

Osage Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri

MARTIN, Jordon w m 49; Sarah w f 47; M. J. 21; M. A. 19; Elizabeth w f 18; Dabney w m 16; Robert w m 14; Nancy w f 12; Mary w f 10; Owing w m 8

1862-1865 Civil War Participation

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/soldiers/details.asp?id=S206116&conflict=Civil%20War&txtName=Martin%2C+&selConflict=Civil+War&txtUnit=&rbBranch=&offset=150>
MARTIN, DABNEY age 18 enlisted in Steelville, Missouri 16 August 1862, Mustered in 18 August 1862 at Bentoin Carracks, Missouri, Mustered out 18 July 1865 at Louisville, Kentucky in Civil War 32nd Regiment Infantry Volunteers F.
CO. F. 32ND MO. INF.
http://www.sos.mo.gov/Images/Archives/Military/s00862/s00862_0439.pdf

1869 Marriage of Dabner Martin and Susan A. (ROZIER)-Peters

Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book Volume "C" 1862-1881, page 151
Dabner Martin & Miss Susan Peters; married on 29 April 1869 by Ezekiel Jinkerson, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

1870 Federal Census

Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

MARTIN, Dabney w m 26; Susan w f 11; Owen w m 10 months

1880 Federal Census

1890 Veterans Schedules

Veteran's Name:Dabney Martin Relative's Name:Susan M Martin Relationship to veteran:Widow Home in 1890 (Township, County, State):Meramec, Crawford, Missouri Year enlisted:1861 Year discharged:1865 Rank:Private

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12. William P. Peters (*John Jacob II or Jr.* ¹) was born 18 November 1812 in Giles

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

County, Virginia, United States and died 25 September 1860 in Giles County, Virginia, United States at age 47.

13. Charles Mountford Peters (*John Jacob II or Jr.* ¹) was born in 1820 near Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States, died 1 August 1880 near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried in August 1880 in Keysville Cemetery, Keysville, Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

1820 Birthblock of Charles Mountford Peters son of John Jacob II and Mary () Peters

Charles Mountford Peters was born near Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States on 1820.

1820 Federal Census age <1

Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, United States, page 120 or 33

PETERS, John Jun. 2-3-0-0-1 2-1-2

free white males 9 & under [Charles Mountford age 1]; 9 & under [John III age 9]; 10-16 [?]; 10-16 [?]; 10-16 [?]; 26-45 [?]; over-45 [John II or Jr. age 44]

free white females 9 & under [?]; 9 & under [?]; 10-16 [Frances Jane age 16]; 16-26 [?]; 16-26 [?]

[On the previous page is his father; John Peters Sr. family.]

1830 Federal Census age 10

Giles, Virginia, United States, page 231

PETERS, John Jun. 0-1-0-2-2-0-0-1 2-0-1-1-0-1

free white males 5-9 [Charles Mountford age 11]; 15-19 [?]; 15-19 [John III age 19]; 20-29 [?]; 20-29 [?]; 50-59 [John II or Jr. age 54]

free white females 4 & under [?]; 4 & under [?]; 10-14 [?]; 15-19 [?]; 30-39 [Mary age ?]

1830 Death of mother; Mary () Peters

1830 Family Move

From Giles, Virginia, United States to Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. It appears that after the death of his 1st wife John Jun. and son John III moved to Missouri. Probably because of the Kimberlin(g) families who all moved around 1826-1827 to Missouri. John II appears both in the Giles County, Virginia census and the Washington County, Missouri census. It also looks like a majority of his children stayed in Giles County because only John III shows up in the 1830 Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States census with his father.

1840 Federal Census age 20

1847 Marriage of Charles Mountford Peters and Permelia Jane (EDGAR)

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "A" 1831-1855, page 129

C. M. Peter and Permeley Jane Edgar were married on 28 Apr 1847 in Crawford Co., MO. (Groom from Washington Co., MO.)

1850 Federal Census age 30

Crawford, Missouri, United States, page , house 800

PETERS, C.[Charles] M.[Mountford] w m 30, P.[Permelia] J.[Jane] w f 20; J. w f 1

[Charles was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri.]

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

1860 Federal Census age 40

Osage Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 932, 31 July 1860, line , house 475

PETER, C.[Charles] M.[Mountford] w m 40; P.[Permelia] J.[Jane] w f 31; Anliza w f 11; John W. w m 9; C.[Charlotta] C. w f 9; C. C. w f 7; James R. w m 5; P. B. w f 3; J.[Jesse] B. w m 4mos

[Charles was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri.]

1868 Death of spouse: Permelia Jane (EDGAR) Peters

Permelia Jane (**EDGAR**) Peters died near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 27 February 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 50

Cuba Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 618b, 3 August 1870, line , house 154,

PETER, C.[Charles] M.[Mountford] w m 50; John M. w m 19; Charlotta w f 17; James R. w m 15; Bethany P. w f 12; Jessie B. w m 10; Amanda w f 8; Micki w f 5

[Charles was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri.]

1880 Federal Census age 60

1880 Death of Charles Mountford Peters

Charles Mountford Peters died near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 1 August 1880.

1880 Burial of Charles Mountford Peters

Keysville Cemetery, Keysville, Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 95670168 Created by: Diana Berkel Record added: Aug 20, 2012

C M Peters Birth: unknown Death: Aug. 1, 1880 Inscription: age 72 yrs., 11 mos., 27 das.
Burial: Keysville Cemetery Keysville Crawford County Missouri, USA

Charles married **Permelia Deileen Jane (EDGAR)**, daughter of **William Coner Edgar** and **Charlotte P. "Lotta" (DILLON)**, 28 April 1847 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. Permelia was born 13 December 1829 in Washington County, Missouri, United States, died 27 February 1868 near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 38, and was buried in February 1868 in Keysville Cemetery, Keysville, Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

Find A Grave Memorial# 69927221 Created by: Diana Berkel Record added: May 16, 2011

Pemelir Edgar Peter Birth: Dec. 13, 1829 Death: Feb. 27, 1868 PEMELIR EDGAR wife of G.M. Dec. 13, 1829-Feb. 27, 1868 age 38 years, 2 months, 14 days Inscription: Wife of C M Peter
Burial: Keysville Cemetery Keysville Crawford County Missouri, USA

Children from this marriage were:

- 26 F i. **J. (PETERS)** was born in 1849 in Missouri, United States.
- 27 F ii. **Annie Eliza (PETERS)** was born 6 February 1849 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States and died 13 May 1929 in Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 80.

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Annie married **James R. Butts** about 1868 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. James was born in 1843 of Crawford, Missouri and died in 1890 at age 47.

Annie next married **John M Eaton** 27 October 1893 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. John was born 16 May 1837 in Washington County, Missouri, United States, died 22 January 1916 in Cherryville, Osage Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried in Cherryville, Osage Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

- 28 M iii. **John William Peters** was born 3 March 1851 in District 24, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died 26 September 1927 in Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried 27 September 1927 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

1851 Birthblock of John William Peters son of Charles Mountford and Permelia Deileen Jane (EDGAR) Peters

John William Peters was born in District 24, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 3 March 1851.

Date from 1900 census states he was born in Mar 1851.

1860 Federal Census age 9

Osage Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 932, 31 July 1860, line , house 475

PETER, C.[Charles] M.[Mountford] w m 40; P.[Permelia] J.[Jane] w f 31; Anliza w f 11; John W. w m 9; C.[Charlotta] C. w f 9; C. C. w f 7; James R. w m 5; P. B. w f 3; J.[Jesse] B. w m 4mos
[Charles was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri.]

1868 Death of mother; Permelia Deileen Jane (EDGAR) Peters

Permelia Jane (**EDGAR**) Peters died near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 27 February 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 19

Cuba Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 618b, 3 August 1870, line , house 154,

PETER, C.[Charles] M.[Mountford] w m 50; John M. w m 19; Charlotta w f 17; James R. w m 15; Bethany P. w f 12; Jessie B. w m 10; Amanda w f 8; Micki w f 5
[Charles was born in Virginia, the rest in Missouri.]

1875 Marriage of John William Peters and Mary Elvire (DAVIS) daughter of Allen and Missouri (SCOTT) Davis

John William Peters and Mary Elvire (**DAVIS**) were married in Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 17 October 1875.

1880 Federal Census age 29

Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

PETER, John W. head w m 28; Mary wife w f 28; Clark son w m 4; Lydia V. dau w f 2months

1880 Death of father; Charles Mountford Peters

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Charles Mountford Peters died near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 1 August 1880.

1900 Federal Census age 49

Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 37b, 7 June 1900, line ,

PETERS, John W. head w m born March 1851 age 49; Mary E. wife w f born June 1851 age 49; Clark M. son w m born August 1876 age 23; Charley A. son w m born April 1883 age 17; Jennie E. dau w f born November 1884 age 15; Missouri dau w f born April 1887a ge 13; Marshall son w m born March 1890 age 10
[John was born in Missouri, his parebnts in Virginia, Mary was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky, her mother in Missouri, the rest born in Missouri as were their parents. They have been married 25 years and Mary days she has had 9 children born and 6 are living.]

1910 Federal Census age 59

Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

PETERS, William head w m 59; Mary wife w f 58; Charles son w m 26; Thorence 23; Marshall son w m 20

1920 Federal Census age 69

City of Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, page 234b, 13 January 1920, line , house 163

TOMPKINS, Lydia B. head w f 39; Lawrence W. son w m 16; Delight A. w f dau 14; Elvia a. dau w f 10; **PETERS**, John W. father w m 68; Mary E. mother w f 68
[All born in Missouri as were their parents.]

1927 Death of John William Peters

John William Peters died in Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States on 26 September 1927.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate # 26845-a

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: John William Peters September 26, 1927 Crawford 26845-a

<http://s1.sos.mo.gov/records/archives/archivesdb/deathcertificates/>

1927 Burial of John William Peters

Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States

John married **Mary Elvire (DAVIS)**, daughter of **Allen Davis** and **Missouri (SCOTT)**, 17 October 1875 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. Mary was born 18 June 1851 in Harmony Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States, died 13 May 1929 in Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried 14 May 1929 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

1851 Birthblock of Mary Elvire (DAVIS) daughter of Allen and Missouri (SCOTT) Davis

Mary Elvire (**DAVIS**) was born in Harmony Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States on 189 June 1851.

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

Mary Alvure Peters May 13, 1929 Crawford 17688-a

- 29 F iv. **Charlotta C. (PETERS)** was born in 1853 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.
- 30 M v. **James R. Peters** was born 15 August 1855 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died 27 February 1925 in Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 69, and was buried 1 March 1925 in Schweider Cemetery, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

! BIRTH: Date from 1900 census states he was born in Dec 1855.

CENSUS: 1860 Crawford Co., MO., Courtois Twsp., Osage Post Office,

House 475, Page 832, taken 31 Jul 1860:

C.M. PETER 40 male farmer born VA

P.J. 31 wife born MO

ANLIZA 11 dau born MO

JOHN W. 9 son born MO

C.C. 7 dau born MO

JAMES R. 5 son born MO

P.B. 3 dau born MO

J.B. 4/12 son born MO

! CENSUS: 1870 Crawford Co., MO., Courtois Twsp., Cuba Post Office,
Page 618B, House 154, taken 3 Aug 1870:

C.M. PETERS male 50 born VA

JOHN M. son 19 born MO

CHARLOTTA dau 17 born MO

JAMES R. son 15 born MO

BETHANY P. dau 12 born MO

JESSIE B. son 10 born MO

AMANDA dau 8 born MO

MICKI dau 5 born MO

1880 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6742&enc=1>>

about R. James Peters

ntblName:R. James Peters**ntbl Age:**23**ntbl Birth Year:**abt 1857**ntbl**

Birthplace:Missouri**ntbl Home in 1880:**Union, Crawford, Missouri**ntbl**

Race:White**ntbl Gender:**Male**ntbl Relation to Head of House:**Self (Head)**ntbl**

Marital Status:Married**ntbl Spouse's Name:**M. Mary Peters**ntbl Mother's**

Birthplace:Missouri**ntbl Neighbors:**[View others on page](#) </cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1880usfedcen&sin=C0000006&siv=4241880-00684> **ntbl**

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Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

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! CENSUS: 1900 Crawford Co., Osage Twsp., Page 109B, house 67,
taken 8 Jun 1900: born Father mother
JAMES PETERS 44 head Dec 1855 MO MO MO
MARY 42 wife Jul 1858 MO MO MO
EDWARD 15 son Jul 1885 MO MO MO
ELSIE 11 dau Mar 1889 MO MO MO
EARL 8 son Jun 1892 MO MO MO
(MARY and JAMES have been married 22 years and
she says she has 6 children born and 5 are living.)

! CENSUS: 1910 Crawford Co., MO., Union Twsp., House 255, Page 142,
taken 10 May 1910: born father mother
JAMES R. PETERS head 55 MO VA MO
MARY M. wife 53 MO TN TN
NODA E. dau 20 MO MO MO
WILLIAM E. son 17 MO MO MO
(They have been married 35 years and 5 children were born
and 4 are living.)

1920 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6061&enc=1>>

about James R Peters

ntblName:James R Peters**ntbl Age:**63**ntbl Birth Year:**abt 1857**ntbl**

Birthplace:Missouri**ntbl Home in 1920:**Union, Crawford, Missouri**ntbl**

Race:Whiten**ntbl Gender:**Male**ntbl Relation to Head of House:**Father**ntbl Marital**

Status:Divorced**ntbl Father's Birthplace:**United States of America**ntbl Mother's**

Birthplace:United States of America**ntbl Able to read:**N**ntbl Able to**

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James Peters February 27, 1925 Crawford 4018-b

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

James married **Mary Mahala Clonts**, daughter of **William Logan Clonts** and **Elizabeth "Betsy" Ann (IVES)**, 24 July 1876 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. Mary was born 19 July 1856 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died 8 December 1931 in Union Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried 10 December 1931 in Schweider Cemetery, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

Mary M. Peters December 08, 1931 Crawford 40508-1

- 31 F vi. **P. Bethany (PETERS)** was born in 1857 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.
- 32 M vii. **Jesse B. Peters** was born 18 March 1860 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died 11 March 1921 in 1835 South 7th Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried 13 March 1921 in Hopewell Cemetery, Breton Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.

! BIRTH: Date from 1900 census states he was born Mar 1860.

! CENSUS: 1900 Crawford Co., MO., Courtois Twsp., House 170,
Page 42B, taken 16 Jun 1900: born father mother
JESSE B. PETERS 40 male Mar 1860 MO TN TN
ADLADE 40 wife Aug 1859 MO MO MO
NANNIE 18 dau Jan 1882 MO MO MO
CLAUD 16 son Sep 1883 MO MO MO
SIDNEY 14 son Mar 1886 MO MO MO
(ADLADE has been married 18 years and she has had
5 children born 4 are living.)

Jesse B. Peters born 18 March 1860 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Died on 11 March 1921 at 1835 South 7th Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. Buried on 13 March 1921 Hopewell Cemetery, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Father: Charles Milford Peters (1820-1870/1880) Mother: Permelia Deileen Jane (**EDGAR**) (1829-1865/1870) Spouse Matilda Adalade (**CLONTS**) (23 August 1859 - 8 August 1920) Marriage: 28 August 1881 in Crawford, Missouri, United States Children: 1. Nannie Peters (1882-) 2. Claud Peters (1883-) 3. Sidney Peters (1886-)

Jesse married someone **Matilda Adalade "Addie" Clonts**, daughter of **William Logan Clonts** and **Elizabeth "Betsy" Ann (IVES)**, 28 August 1881 in Crawford County, Missouri, United States. Matilda was born 23 August 1859 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died 8 August 1920 in Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried in August 1920 in Hopewell Cemetery, Breton Township, Washington County, Missouri, United States.

Matilda Adalade "Addie" (**CLONTS**) Peters was born on 23 August 1859 - near Osage Post Office, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 8 August 1920 - Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Addie was buried in August 1920 - Hopewell Cemetery, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Father: William Logan Clonts (1838-1917) [FAG#7092964] Mother: Elizabeth Ann (**IVES**) (1836-1920) [FAG#58739271] Spouse: Jesse B. Peters (18 March 1860 - 11 March 1921) [FAG#5269544] Marriage: 28 August 1881 - Crawford, Missouri, United

Descendants of John Jacob Peters II or Jr.

States Children: 1. Nannie Peters (1882-) 2. Claud Peters (1883-) 3. Sidney Peters (1886-)

- 33 F viii. **Amanda (PETERS)** was born in 1862 near Osage Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.
- 34 F ix. **Somma Micca "Mickie" (PETERS)** was born 4 February 1865 near Cuba Post Office, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States, died 24 May 1944 in rural Sullivan, Meramec Township, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 79, and was buried 26 May 1944 in Fairview Cemetery, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

Somma Mickey Peters Clonts

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Somma married **Franzo Samuel Clonts**, son of **Alfred Clonts** and **Elsie Mahala (LARGENT)**, 7 January 1883 in Patsy, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States. Franzo was born 30 January 1863 near Osage Post Office, Osage Township, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died 19 October 1934 in Butts, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried in October 1934 in Fairview Cemetery, Courtois Township, Crawford County, Missouri, United States.

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14. Mary Anne "Polly" Peters (*John Jacob II or Jr.* ¹) was born 2 December 1829 in Giles County, Virginia, United States and died 30 September 1908 in Pearisburg, Giles, Virginia, USA at age 78.

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Name: Andrew Johnston
Age in 1870: 50
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Mary married **Andrew P. Johnston** 13 October 1848 in Giles County, Virginia, United States.

Andrew P. Johnston

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A Little Something About Your Author.....

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.



At the age of 19, Mr. Pratt embarked on a career in law enforcement. This experience gave him training in detective and investigative skills. Little did Mr. Pratt know, how useful these skills would be in the field of genealogy.


Floyd started his family research career in 1975 after becoming a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. His first calling as a new member was to serve in the newly created genealogical department or known today as the Family History Center in the Springfield, Missouri ward. This two-year calling gave Mr. Pratt a tremendous amount of experience helping others to research their families.

In fact, he felt family research came easy and required little effort on his part. In reality, years of reading and studying increased his expertise and he made it look easy to others. Over the course of several years, Mr. Pratt was asked by his church to instruct several family history courses. This experience established a deep profound love for family and ancestors. It was not uncommon for Mr. Pratt to spend 4 to 8 hours a day researching and compiling family histories in addition to his duties, as an entrepreneur in the insurance business.

The first major achievement for Mr. Pratt was a breakthrough on his Pratt family back to the early 1800's. Due to confusion with Pratt ancestors and not satisfied with just the direct line research, Mr. Pratt branched out to research all connected lines and allied families.

This dedication led to 50,000 individuals in his database and has achieved expert status for Mr. Pratt on the families of middle and eastern Missouri, eastern and western Tennessee and central North Carolina.

Concerning Mr. Pratt's style of research, he is a strong supporter of the "hands on" approach. When he took family vacations, they usually went to libraries, cemeteries, courthouses, National Archive centers, and visited family members in various states. He attended family reunions and obtained his material from the actual sources when possible.

Being a researcher of the highest degree, in 1991, Mr. Pratt created  **Pratt Publications**.

He began to offer to the public, a series of books titled, Pratt Progenitor Papers. This series of volumes are a collection of legal documents, stories, pictures and historical presentations concerning the families of Missouri, Tennessee and North Carolina.

The first three Volumes were released to the public in 1991 and were issued to 18 different libraries including the Library of Congress and the St. Louis Public Library. The next 11 volumes were sent to the Salt Lake Genealogical Library with 60 volumes scheduled for publication.

In 1996, Mr. Pratt created the  **Genealogical Institute** to further the education of serious researchers.

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The **Genealogical Institute** offers a series of educational materials to teach and instruct the novice as well as advanced researchers, procedures Mr. Pratt has tried and tested to be of great value in family history research. These courses offer “a hands on” curriculum designed to instruct in investigative, deductive reasoning and logical techniques for tracking your family history. Many have found a treasure chest of knowledge when undertaking these courses.

Mr. Pratt has taken the hobby of genealogy and has enhanced it into a science. Heavy on instructions concerning documentation, research procedures, alternative sources and common public records, these courses are valuable tools for the family history researcher. Mr. Pratt has been informed by researchers his material found in his publications are recorded as source validation for such organizations as the Sons of the American Revolution (SAR) and the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR).

Upon completion of the educational courses from the **Genealogical Institute**, the graduate is awarded the *Master Accreditation* of the *Genealogical Institute*. (*M.A.G.I.*) Written in easy to read format with detailed explanations concerning various subjects of interest to family history researchers.

Mr. Pratt's ability in family history research has amazed many experienced researchers. When Mr. Pratt is asked for help concerning their “brick wall” in their family research, his quick wit and logical mind rapid fires instructions and procedures so fast they cannot write the material quickly enough. Little do they realize, this knowledge has been acquired over 40 years of research.

In June of 2000, Mr. Pratt undertook a new and unprecedented task. Outside of Washington, Saint John's Township, Franklin County, Missouri is an old cemetery called the Johnson-Caldwell Cemetery aka; misnamed the McAllister Cemetery. This cemetery has many pioneer heroes and ancestors of various descendants from that region. Some of the inhabitants were born in the 1750's and arrived in the Missouri Territory shortly after the 1803 Louisiana Purchase.

Mr. Pratt recorded all the information off of the headstones including every person in the cemetery and researched each individual related to Mr. Pratt or not. 1000 man-hours and two years later, he published the book “**JOHNSON-CALDWELL CEMETERY OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, MISSOURI**”©.

Obtaining newspapers, legal documents, talking to ancestors and researching various sources for any and all information concerning the history of the cemetery and the inhabitants produced this master text.

What makes this book unique is based on several factors. First, it is the only book to report on each inhabitant, their birth and activities throughout their life until their death, including their ancestors, spouses and children. Second, this book contains a unique index, listing the individual and their father's name if known. This is extremely helpful when several individuals have the same given name.

Upon examination, professional researchers have hailed this body of work as a masterpiece and a standard in which all future research should be based. No one has ever produced a body of work as unique and professional as this publication.

As the years moved on, Mr. Pratt became concerned about his 40 years of hard research work of various family histories. After a serious heart attack in 2012, Mr. Pratt decided to post his collective bodies of work on a website making them available to all interested researchers without compensation.

A Little Something About Your Author.....

After careful consideration, Mr. Pratt chose the website www.openlibrary.org. "Open Library" is a repository of millions of digital books available to the public for free.

There are two or more ways to access Mr. Pratt's publications.

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You can either scroll the list or an easier way to reach his lists is at the following website...

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Having a unique perspective from the top of mast on the sailing ship of discovery, Mr. Pratt has sailed through the waters of family history research for the last 40 years. These articles were designed to bring to the attention of family historians some unusual details he has witnessed during his research tenure.

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We, in the genealogical world are deeply grateful to be associates of a man of Mr. Pratt's caliber. Through his research and dedication, future generations will benefit by his advances in the genealogical research field.

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Lewton Cole, Chairman
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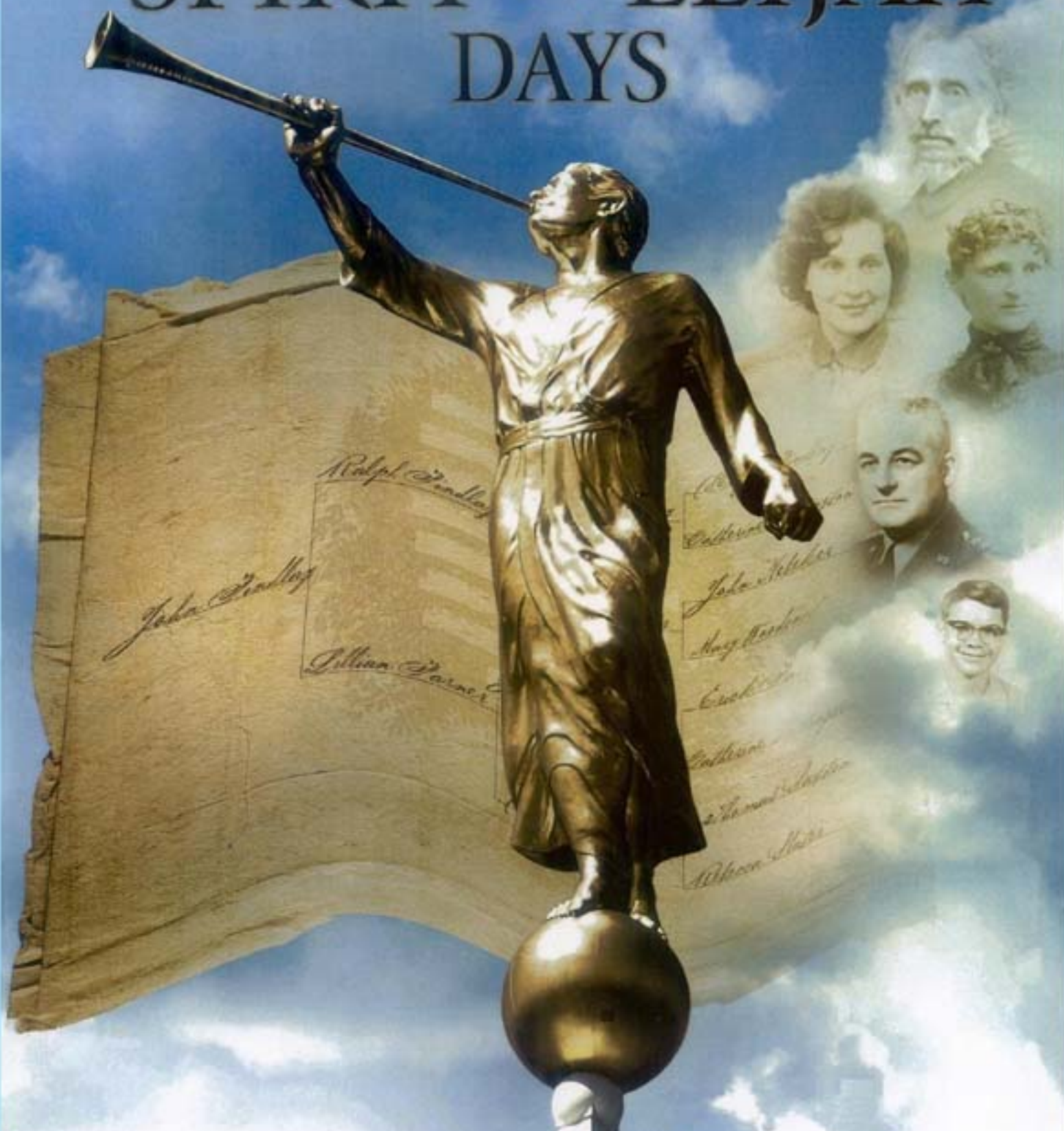
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FLOYD THOMAS PRATT F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

If you surf their website and browse their millions of books and download a bunch of their books then you might pick up one of these free riding software programs. However, if you stick to my books and just download them only, I don't think you have anything to worry about.

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WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

Like anything you see for free on the Internet, beware nothing is free in this world.

We are taught as Latter Day Saints there are three worlds in our Heavenly Father's Kingdom. First the Celestial World where he and others reside, known as the highest kingdom, then there is the Terrestrial World, where good people reside but they were not valiant in this life and then there is the Telestial World who are of people who were the least valiant and righteous.

[http://www.mormonwiki.com/Celestial, Terrestrial, and Telestial Kingdoms](http://www.mormonwiki.com/Celestial,_Terrestrial,_and_Telestial_Kingdoms)

This earth in its present state is a representation of the Telestial World. If you don't like it here and you are spiritual then you are probably destined for a higher spiritual world. Because this world contains people who are a mixture of the above three worlds, we have so much evil.

So, what you download from the Internet and they state it is "**free**" be wary, they make deals with the manufacturer, publisher and suppliers by compensating them if they will allow the software companies to "attach" their ads, offers and solicitations to their free downloads.

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My son-in-law is a professional IT manager and software expert for several companies and checking with the Best-Buy software technicians they concur the above program is one of the best on the market and used by professionals.

You can download a free trial sample at that website to see just how good it is. I just now scanned my computer for threats and the above program Malwarebytes found 5 harmful programs and with a click of a button they were removed.

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So, what I suggest, when you see one of those warning pages, just ignore the warning and when it displays my cover page, download my book as soon as you see the disc icon on the lower right for download.

MY LISTS ON OPEN LIBRARY AND THEIR DESCRIPTIONS

Presently there are 10 lists under my authorship posted on Open Library. They are not in any order but the categories are as follows...

Cradle to Grave Profiles (C2G)

Over the years, I found it necessary to organize my notes concerning individuals into a chronological format beginning with their birth date and various events all through their lives accumulating with their death and burial locations. As I formulated this research, I labeled my efforts aptly named the Cradle to Grave Profiles (C2G).

These profiles have become famous to family history researches due to their detailed documented facts containing material from rare and hard to find resources.

These mini-biographies present all the known research material available to the author concerning that individual at the time of their creation.

Using this style of recording data concerning our ancestor's life, allows the researcher to insert, move, delete, change and follow their subject's life events without losing track of their timeline.

Another advantage of using this type of documentation helps the researcher at a glance, to focus on the locale and time period where additional repositories containing information concerning their subject may be located.

Events such as political, historical and environmental are illustrated as well as legal documents, newspapers and historical records to acclimate the reader during the time frame of that ancestor's lifetime. Even though this series utilizes the following documents, some of these publications do not contain the actual copy of maps, legal documents and pictures concerning the subject's life.

The more comprehensive publications, i.e., The Pratt Chronicles... enhance these mini-biographies with actual copies of the documents pertaining to that individual's life.

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Family vital information of all known spouses and children are included as it pertains to the subject's timeline. What makes these reports so useful to the family history researcher is the documented evidence chronologically presented with verified proof of these events during the life of the subject prevents the reader from asking, "Where did they get that information?"

Creating a Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile is the first step in formatting a biography and is the foundation for writing a book on the life of your subject.

Be mindful, over the last 40 years of family history research I have created thousands of C2G Profiles of which only a few are listed here. If you do not see someone you are interested in, email me at floydpratt59@gmail.com and I will check my 55,000-name database and will post what I have on your ancestor.

Literary History Series

Literary History Series contains rare books concerning family history written by various authors...many who are deceased. These books were acquired over the years and now enjoy the status of a rare find in any genealogical library. These books are offered freely to help advance family history knowledge.

Pratt Progenitor Papers

Pratt Progenitor Papers by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. is a series of a collection of descendant information covering an individual and 2 or more generations of descendants.

Each volume follows a particular individual and his descendants including children, grandchildren and spouses if known. Each of these volumes include legal and detailed information about a particular ancestor...many contain Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profiles.

The order of reporting is as follows: 1st a Descendancy report on the primary, which is usually the husband; 2nd the primary or husband followed by all known wives, 3rd the second generation comprising of all known children and their spouses, followed by additional subsequent generations of descendants.

View From the Mast...

Over the years I have found it necessary to write articles concerning observations of family history or what I call personal artifacts. These reports, articles and short stories are contained in this section labeled...View From the Mast.

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Having a unique perspective from the top of the mast on the sailing ship of discovery, I have sailed through the waters of research for the last 40 years. These articles were designed to bring to the attention of family historians some unusual details I have witnessed during my voyage.

Pratt-Bach Ancestral Trilogies

This list is not a book but a directory of books attributed to one progenitor. This directory directs the reader to the appropriate locations where the books can be accessed. Only progenitors who have had at least three, books, articles, stories or commentaries will be admitted to this list.

These books can be personal testimonies of the life of the individual, life recollections concerning the individual, Ancestral Family Histories of the individual and Cradle to Grave Profiles of the named individual.

This list was created to help the family history researcher find, locate, access and save these valuable books concerning our collective family history. Authored by Bonnie Kathleen (**BACH**) Pratt F.H.C. and Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

Ancestral Family Histories (AFH)

The Pratt Progenitor Papers comprises of a selected ancestor and reporting on their descendants for a numbered generations. This is known as a descendency book. Under the PPP format, all known descendants are represented in that book including each child and their spouse for a chosen number of subsequent generations.

The Ancestral Family History (AFH) consists of choosing a **living descendant**, and producing a book from the descendant following **direct line ancestors** as far as the research has been completed.

This type of format is known as a pedigree chart listing as many as 30 to 50 generations concerning the number of ancestors of that individual.

Much more than pedigree charts, these books generate all known notes, articles, legal documents and if applicable, Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profiles on each and every direct line ancestor and their spouses.

Due to the extensive research, I have acquired over the last 40 years, I have accumulated a vast amount of family history information on thousands of people and it is not uncommon for these books to generate over 800 pages.

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Pratt Archive Collections

This Collection comprises of a series of books containing cemetery records, family histories, biographies and various books compiled by individual authors.

Genealogical Institute

Over the past 38 years, Mr. Pratt has observed a lack of organized research efforts to help the serious genealogy researcher.

One organization...the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and their Family History Center has been a magnificent repository of information needed to help advance genealogical research. However, even that institution is at the mercy of individuals who are willing to donate their publications and research. Consequently, a multitude of research material never makes it to their doors.

The Genealogical Institute was created to offer superb tools to help the genealogical researcher in three vital areas... research, academic and publication. The tools and courses within have been designed to assist the public in genealogical research and help fill the void in their genealogical education.

Vital Text Series

This category offers public records including but not exclusive...marriages, deeds, census and various documents from County Courthouse Records in Missouri.

Scrutinized and compiled by this author for accuracy and cross referenced with census and family histories to ensure the most complete and accurate records available in print today.

The Pratt Chronicles Series

A unique collection of biographies on various ancestors. Enhancing the Cradle to Grave (C2G) format with pictures, newspaper articles, legal documents, census records, yearly newsworthy events and an annual synopsis of the individual's life and activities.

Under each category list are multiple books concerning related topics for that particular category.

My purpose is to leave behind family history research for future generations to help save them time, effort and money allowing them to forge new research into newly discovered records without a duplication of effort.

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I am posting new material at Open Library almost on a weekly basis so check back often to see what is new or what I would suggest, email me and ask me if there are any new books on the family lines you are interested in.

I have amassed so much material over the last 40 years, which has not been posted; if you ask, I will work on your request to expedite your books of interest. Thank you for your interest and participation.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.
20 November 2015

A Little Something About Your Author.....

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.



At the age of 19, Mr. Pratt embarked on a career in law enforcement. This experience gave him training in detective and investigative skills. Little did Mr. Pratt know, how useful these skills would be in the field of genealogy.


Floyd started his family research career in 1975 after becoming a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. His first calling as a new member was to serve in the newly created genealogical department or known today as the Family History Center in the Springfield, Missouri ward. This two-year calling gave Mr. Pratt a tremendous amount of experience helping others to research their families.

In fact, he felt family research came easy and required little effort on his part. In reality, years of reading and studying increased his expertise and he made it look easy to others. Over the course of several years, Mr. Pratt was asked by his church to instruct several family history courses. This experience established a deep profound love for family and ancestors. It was not uncommon for Mr. Pratt to spend 4 to 8 hours a day researching and compiling family histories in addition to his duties, as an entrepreneur in the insurance business.

The first major achievement for Mr. Pratt was a breakthrough on his Pratt family back to the early 1800's. Due to confusion with Pratt ancestors and not satisfied with just the direct line research, Mr. Pratt branched out to research all connected lines and allied families.

This dedication led to 50,000 individuals in his database and has achieved expert status for Mr. Pratt on the families of middle and eastern Missouri, eastern and western Tennessee and central North Carolina.

Concerning Mr. Pratt's style of research, he is a strong supporter of the "hands on" approach. When he took family vacations, they usually went to libraries, cemeteries, courthouses, National Archive centers, and visited family members in various states. He attended family reunions and obtained his material from the actual sources when possible.

Being a researcher of the highest degree, in 1991, Mr. Pratt created  **Pratt Publications**.

He began to offer to the public, a series of books titled, Pratt Progenitor Papers. This series of volumes are a collection of legal documents, stories, pictures and historical presentations concerning the families of Missouri, Tennessee and North Carolina.

The first three Volumes were released to the public in 1991 and were issued to 18 different libraries including the Library of Congress and the St. Louis Public Library. The next 11 volumes were sent to the Salt Lake Genealogical Library with 60 volumes scheduled for publication.

In 1996, Mr. Pratt created the  **Genealogical Institute** to further the education of serious researchers.

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The **Genealogical Institute** offers a series of educational materials to teach and instruct the novice as well as advanced researchers, procedures Mr. Pratt has tried and tested to be of great value in family history research. These courses offer “a hands on” curriculum designed to instruct in investigative, deductive reasoning and logical techniques for tracking your family history. Many have found a treasure chest of knowledge when undertaking these courses.

Mr. Pratt has taken the hobby of genealogy and has enhanced it into a science. Heavy on instructions concerning documentation, research procedures, alternative sources and common public records, these courses are valuable tools for the family history researcher. Mr. Pratt has been informed by researchers his material found in his publications are recorded as source validation for such organizations as the Sons of the American Revolution (SAR) and the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR).

Upon completion of the educational courses from the **Genealogical Institute**, the graduate is awarded the *Master Accreditation* of the *Genealogical Institute*. (*M.A.G.I.*) Written in easy to read format with detailed explanations concerning various subjects of interest to family history researchers.

Mr. Pratt's ability in family history research has amazed many experienced researchers. When Mr. Pratt is asked for help concerning their “brick wall” in their family research, his quick wit and logical mind rapid fires instructions and procedures so fast they cannot write the material quickly enough. Little do they realize, this knowledge has been acquired over 40 years of research.

In June of 2000, Mr. Pratt undertook a new and unprecedented task. Outside of Washington, Saint John's Township, Franklin County, Missouri is an old cemetery called the Johnson-Caldwell Cemetery aka; misnamed the McAllister Cemetery. This cemetery has many pioneer heroes and ancestors of various descendants from that region. Some of the inhabitants were born in the 1750's and arrived in the Missouri Territory shortly after the 1803 Louisiana Purchase.

Mr. Pratt recorded all the information off of the headstones including every person in the cemetery and researched each individual related to Mr. Pratt or not. 1000 man-hours and two years later, he published the book “**JOHNSON-CALDWELL CEMETERY OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, MISSOURI**”©.

Obtaining newspapers, legal documents, talking to ancestors and researching various sources for any and all information concerning the history of the cemetery and the inhabitants produced this master text.

What makes this book unique is based on several factors. First, it is the only book to report on each inhabitant, their birth and activities throughout their life until their death, including their ancestors, spouses and children. Second, this book contains a unique index, listing the individual and their father's name if known. This is extremely helpful when several individuals have the same given name.

Upon examination, professional researchers have hailed this body of work as a masterpiece and a standard in which all future research should be based. No one has ever produced a body of work as unique and professional as this publication.

As the years moved on, Mr. Pratt became concerned about his 40 years of hard research work of various family histories. After a serious heart attack in 2012, Mr. Pratt decided to post his collective bodies of work on a website making them available to all interested researchers without compensation.

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After careful consideration, Mr. Pratt chose the website www.openlibrary.org. "Open Library" is a repository of millions of digital books available to the public for free.

There are two or more ways to access Mr. Pratt's publications.

If you open the website as listed above you click on the authors label on the left hand side and type Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. The website will open to his name, click his name and you will be directed to a listing with his name, picture and listing of presently 79 publications (2015).

You can either scroll the list or an easier way to reach his lists is at the following website...

<https://openlibrary.org/people/floydpratt59/lists>

If you notice there are currently 9 lists or categories of books, article, stories and commentaries attributed to Mr. Pratt's publications.

These "Lists" are broken down as follows not necessarily in any order...

Vital Text Series This section covers public vital records. Including marriage records, deeds, census records, births, deaths, probate and indexes to public records. The counties of Missouri covered are as follows; Crawford, Washington, Franklin, Gasconade, St. François, Ste. Genevieve, and Jefferson counties.

Pratt Archive Collections This Collections comprises of a series of books containing cemeteries, family histories, biographies and various books by individual authors. There are several sections with this group... **Cemeteries** contain documented census information for various cemeteries in Crawford, Washington and Franklin Counties of Missouri. **Family Histories** are a collection of historical books concerning a group of a family or family names.

CRADLE TO GRAVE (C2G) PROFILE The Cradle to Grave Profile (C2G) documents an individual's life from the cradle to the grave. All known research material concerning that individual is represented in a family group sheet format. These C2G profiles are presented to the researcher within a family group sheet detailing the husband, his spouses and all known children. Regardless of how many times the subject has been married, the researcher receives a full report on all known spouses and children.

The Pratt Chronicles... The Pratt Chronicles series or what we call a Cradle to Grave (C2G) profile on steroids, is an in-depth comprehensive biography on one individual's life encompassing all known events, including historical factors from the time of their birth to their burial. These events are comprised of current music, inventions, movies, family births, deaths, marriages, legal documents, occupations, military participation, pictures, maps, mementos, world history, US history and economic conditions as they occurred on a yearly basis.

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When accessing Mr. Pratt's books on Open Library, click on the heading of each list and you will be directed to the books, articles, stories and commentaries contained in each section. Click on the title of the book or article you desire for a full explanation of the item with contents. On the upper right hand column, are the words "Read Online" and PDF. All of these publications have been uploaded to the Internet Archive Digital Library repository and you can access them directly at the following...
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We, in the genealogical world are deeply grateful to be associates of a man of Mr. Pratt's caliber. Through his research and dedication, future generations will benefit by his advances in the genealogical research field.

In addition we are thankful for the inspiration that sparks men like Mr. Pratt to magnify their love for people and history. We feel, with a lifetime dedicated to the genealogical pursuit of truth and knowledge, Mr. Pratt's accumulative body of work, will stand as a quintessential manifestation of this divine love.

Lewton Cole, Chairman
Genealogical Institute

Floyd Thomas "Tom" Pratt F. H. C., M. A. G. I. Pedigree Chart

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